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TO REDUCE RATES

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER WILL MAKE THE EFFORT.

ORR BILL IS REPEALED

Two New Laws Signed by Governor Will Permit Prosecution of Insurance Combine as Trust.

An effort will be made by Insurance Commissioner Revelle to reduce the fire insurance rates in the state since Governor Major has signed the two Orr bills repealing the Oliver fire insurance rating law and re-enacting the anti-trust statutes relating to fire insurance companies. Maryville is very much interested in this bill as the fire insurance rates were materially increased about a year ago. The following article explains the nature of the bill:

Although a vigorous protest had been lodged by fire insurance agents against this action, Governor Major did not feel justified in vetoing the action of the legislature, in view of the statewide demand for the repeal of the Oliver law

Just what the result will be is problematic, but State Insurance Commissioner Revelle will make an effort immediately to reduce the rates by the prosecution of companies which do not obey the new anti-trust law.

During the investigation conducted by the senate it was declared many times that an insurance trust existed in Missouri, and, while many senators voted for the bill solely on the strength of the demands of their constituents, they believed the new anti-trust law, if enforceable, would break the trust and restore competition.

Representative Orr of Livingstone, who introduced both bills in the legislature, believed there was no question that the state could enforce the section added to the old law which makes it prima facie evidence of a trust to maintain equal rates.

Under the old anti-trust law no lasting benefits were obtained by prosecution, and this new section is the mainstay on which the state expects to rely if fire insurance rates are to be reduced.

Under the Oliver law, enacted two years ago, the fire insurance companies formed an actuarial bureau in St. Louis, the purpose being to arrive at fair rates on all property in the state. The result was an increase variously estimated at from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000 annually in premiums.

The then State Insurance Commissioner, Frank Blake, was supposed to approve or disapprove the rates named by the companies, but after the law, which he advocated, went into effect he announced he was powerless to compel the insurance companies to reduce rates.

The general impression has been that the apparent failure of the law in reality was the failure of Blake to enforce it. In fact, Insurance Commissioner Revelle has stated on numerous occasions since the legislature convened that he could reduce rates under the Oliver law if the legislature did not real it, at a saving of $2,000,000 annually.

But, while the matter has been pending, he did not feel justified in ordering a reduction.

But, yielding to the popular clamor for the repeal of the law, many senators made certain the passage of the bill even when by so doing they acted against their best judgment.

Many believe the authority given insurance companies to combine and fix rates under the Oliver law will preclude the possibility of them being adjudged part of a trust, because they now continue to enforce those rates.

A pretty fight between the insurance department, aided by the attorney general, is expected as the direct outcome, and the first signal will be the order by Insurance Commissioner Revelle to reduce rates.

Virtually every company in the state maintains the same rate on the same property, and by that fact, authorized under the Oliver law, are parties to a trust. The big fight is expected to hinge on the question whether such a law is constitutional.

The penalty for violating the law under the bills, is a fine of not less than $500 or more than $5,000, or imprisonment in jail for a year or the penitentiary for more than five years, or both fine and imprisonment.

It is made the duty of the attorney general and the prosecuting attorneys of the state to institute proceedings for a violation of the law, and the circuit courts have jurisdiction to prevent and restrain persons, corporations and associations from entering into combinations to violate the law.

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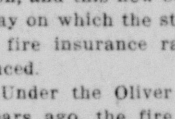

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DEATH OF LAWRENCE DORAN.

Body Was Brought From St. Joseph Sunday Night for Burial in St. Patrick's Seminary.

Lawrence Doran, who for forty years had been a resident of Nodaway county, died Saturday afternoon, March 29, in St. Joseph's hospital in St. Joseph, after a three weeks' illness of pneumonia. The body was brought to Maryville Sunday night and the funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Fr. Niemann. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Mr. Doran was born in Ontario, Canada, January 13, 1851. He was brought to Nodaway county by his parents when quite young and was for many years a resident of Maryville and this county. His wife died twenty-two years ago. He is survived by two sons, Henry and Bert Doran of St. Joseph, also two brothers, William Doran of Maryville, Robert Doran of Spring Ranch, Neb., and four sisters, Mrs. Amelia Diss of Ravenwood, Mrs. J. P. Tully of Winnipeg, Canada; Mrs. Kate McAuliffe of Huron, Kan., and Mrs. Ellen Killon of St. Joseph. Mr. Doran had lived in St. Joseph for the past eighteen years.

DEATH OF MRS. JONATHAN STARK.

Passed Away Saturday Evening After Illness of Nearly Three Weeks—Funeral Monday Afternoon.

Mrs. Jonathan Stark passed away Saturday evening at 7:25 o'clock at the family home, 506 East First street, after an illness of nearly three weeks. Mrs. Stark suffered blood poisoning in one of her hands a few weeks ago from a wound made by the point of her scissors. This trouble was entirely overcome, however, when erysipelas came in her face, and she was recovering from it when her heart failed, and for three days before her death it was known that she could not live.

The funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church. Burial took place in Oak Hill cemetery, five miles east of Maryville. The pall bearers were the elders of the church, Messrs. G. L. Wilfley, J. T. Karr, W. C. Frank, A. E. Bell, W. W. Glass, Dr. J. H. Todd.

A quartet composed of H. J. Becker, W. E. Goforth, Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mrs. J. D. Richey sang.

Mrs. Stark was the daughter of the late Adolph Stauble. She was born in Wayne county, Indiana, January 19, 1866, coming to Davies county, Missouri, with her parents when 3 years of age. A year later the family came to Nodaway county, Missouri, and settled on a farm five miles east of Maryville, where they lived for several years after the daughter and a son, now deceased, were married.

Mrs. Stark was married to her husband on the 14th day of February, 1893. Three children were born to them, Charles Adolph Stark, who died two years ago the 16th of March, while attending school in Maryville, and two daughters, Rosanna May, aged 16, and Anna Elizabeth, aged 14, who survive with the husband, and the mother, Mrs. Rosanna Stauble.

Mrs. Stark had been a member of the Christian church for seventeen years. Her life was distinctively Christian, and those who so deeply mourn her loss are bereaved of one of the sweetest and best women who have lived in the relation of daughter, wife and mother.

Pie Social and Dance.

A pie social and dance will be given Friday night, April 4, by the Woodmen of the World and the Woodmen Circle, for the benefit of the drill team.

S. S. CONVENTION

COUNTY ORGANIZATION WILL BE FORMED IN JUNE.

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL

Committee Will Arrange for Meeting to Which All Sunday Schools in County Will Send Delegates.

A Sunday school convention of all the Sunday schools in the county will be held in Maryville on June 17 and 18, the purpose of the meeting being to perfect a county organization. These dates were decided on Sunday afternoon at a meeting held at the First M. E. church which was attended by representatives from each of the five Sunday schools in this city.

At the meeting Sunday Mr. Williams of Liberty, Mo., field secretary of the State Sunday School association, was present and made an address. He urged that a county organization be perfected, as much good will result from an association of all of the Sunday schools of the county.

The superintendents of the five Sunday schools in the city, with W. M. Oakerson as chairman and Miss Mary Evans as treasurer, will arrange the program for the convention and also make the arrangements. At the convention the state association will send several of their lecturers and officers. Each Sunday school in the county will be entitled to five delegates, to be composed of the pastor of the church, the superintendent of the Sunday school and three laymen. It is estimated that there are fifty Sunday schools in the county.

The superintendents of the Sunday schools in Maryville are as follows: W. F. Smith of the First M. E. church, Dean G. H. Colbert of the First Presbyterian church, G. B. Roseberry of the Christian church, Anderson Craig of the Baptist church and V. I. Moore of the Buchanan Street Methodist church.

INTERESTING SERVICES.

Sunday Was a Big Day at the First M. E. Church—Rev. Zentz Preached.

The Sunday services at the First M. E. church were interesting and uplifting. The day commenced with a fine Sunday school, T. B. Maulding and his orchestra adding much life to the singing. Mr. Williams made the announcement of the afternoon meeting and then gave us a very informing and inspiring talk on the problem and possibilities of the boy in the Sunday school.

Rev. G. H. Zentz preached morning and evening to two large and appreciative audiences. The morning subject was "The Uplifting God." The text was Psalms 3:3. He said in part:

"That man in the beginning was without history, language, art, intellect or science. What has been the cause of his progress? The answer is in the text. God is the uplifter of our heads. He has done this great ideal which He has given to the race. For as is the ideal so the life. These ideals have been of two kinds, ideals of God and ideals of man. We find in ancient Israel these ideals of God. He is one God, and there is none other beside him. He is a God of unspeakable holiness. He is an immanent God, and in these latter days we have seen God in the face of Jesus Christ.

"God has also given us ideal of man. Ideals as to his origin, his duty and his destiny."

The evening service was very effective. The subject was the "Tower of the Home."

Services tonight at 7:30. Rev. Zentz will preach. Special music.

SUIT AGAINST LIGHT PLANT.

Jud Wren is Suing J. L. Fuqua Light Plant at Elmo for $65 for Labor.

A suit was filed Monday morning by Attorney Ellis G. Cook for Jud Wren against J. L. Fuqua, the owner of the Electric light plant at Elmo. According to the petition, Wren was employed to run and operate the light plant at Elmo by Fuqua, and he was to receive $30 a month. The petition states that he has been in charge of the plant for two and a half months, and that he has $65 coming to him for his labor, which is still due and remains unpaid.

Marriage Licenses.

F. T. Glassford	Burlington Junction
Lela M. Carver	Elmo
John Frank Farnan	Clyde
Mary C. Brady	Clyde
John E. Merrigan	Clyde
Nellie T. Brady	Clyde
Frank M. Miller	Clyde
Katie Sullivan	Clyde

ALL HOMES THERE

EVERY FAMILY IN BAPTIST CHURCH WAS REPRESENTED.

BUDGET PLAN ADOPTED

Annual Rally Day of Sunday School Drew Big Crowd and $2,300 Was Subscribed for Church Work.

Evangelist Joe Jacobs of Kansas City, who is not an ordined minister, but a traveling salesman, who gave up his business about fifteen years ago to take charge of "The Messenger of Peace," a chapel car built for Baptist evangelistic work, was at the First Baptist church Sunday, and presided at the all-day service held at that church. It was the annual rally day for the Sunday school, and although every member of the church was not present, owing to sickness, every family was represented, and a splendid Sunday school session was the result. The new orchestra, under the direction of Miss Alma Nash, gave inspiring music. All the music for the entire day was beyond its usual high standard of excellence.

Mr. Jacobs took his Scripture for the 11 o'clock sermon from the 5th chapter of Ephesians, where it tells of the "glorious church, that is without spot or wrinkle or any such thing." He spoke of the life the membership must live in order that such a church may be realized. He pointed to the fact that the marriage relation was spoken of in this connection by the Apostle Paul to impress upon the minds of the Ephesians the sacredness of this church life, and said it was like it. That "husbands should love their wives as Christ loved the church; that the object of the life of Christ here was to sacrifice His life for the church, to love it, live for it and die for it; that the church, His bride, should be kept pure and without blemish." He said he believed if men loved their wives as they were admonished to love them in the 5th chapter of Ephesians, that the public attention would not need to be called to the necessity of divorce. He spoke of the standing the average church has in the eyes of the world, and said that nine out of ten members were looked upon as hypocrites by people on the outside who are intelligent and have some idea of the high standing the Church of God should require of its members, and says the low ideal of morals that is tolerated by our churches is the reason for so much skepticism and unbelief in the power of the Gospel to save men from their sins.

During the year just past the people of Kansas City spent $6,000,000 for entertainments and the churches spent $500,000 for missions.

The social hour at noon was greatly enjoyed by all. The men served a splendid lunch in cafeteria style, and a large crowd was present to partake of it.

In the afternoon another meeting was held to consider plans for the coming year. The budget plan has been adopted as the system of finance. The sum of $2,300 was raised toward the budget of $3,000 that is necessary to carry on the entire work of the church, and the remaining amount will be easily secured from those who were not able to be present. Of the $3,000, one-fourth of that amount will be set aside for missions and $1,500 for pastor's salary. The matter of a pastor was discussed, and the committee presented a good man for the church's consideration, but his name will not be made public for awhile.

At the night service Mr. Jacobs gave his fine stereopticon lecture, giving views of the beautiful western country over which he travels 50,000 miles every year.

Mr. Jacobs has direction of probably the most unique system of evangelization in the country, consisting of seven railway cars that operate in different sections of the west for the American Baptist Publication society, that are transported free of charge over any railroad in the United States, also fifty-four colporteur wagons, an automobile in California and a cruiser along the Pacific coast. A man in Pennsylvania sends him a check every Christmas day for $13,000, which supports thirteen chapel cars. This same man supports eighty-seven missionaries in all parts of the world, and the sun never sets on them.

Attended Show at St. Joseph.

Miss Rena Sturm and Mr. Cleve Funk attended the show of "Everywoman" at the Tootle theater in St. Joseph Saturday. Miss Sturm will remain in that city for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. John Walsh.

REGENTS ATTENDED CHAPEL.

Four Board Members Present at Exercises at Normal—oBard Meeting Monday Aftern on.

The chapel exercises at the Normal were of unusual interest Monday morning, due to the presence in the assembly of four of the members of the board of regents of the Northwest Normal. They were Hon. William P. Evans, state superintendent of schools; W. A. Blagg of this city, president of the board, Judge W. G. Hine of Savannah and Leo M. Phipps of Grant City, who is the newly appointed member of the board. County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson was also present.

Dr. H. K. Taylor presided at the exercises and introduced each member of the board, and each of the distinguished gentlemen responded with a few brief remarks.

A meeting of the regents was held Monday afternoon at the Normal building. Only routine work such as sanctioning the payment of bills and the like was taken up. Provisions for the extra teaching force for the summer quarter was discussed, but no appointments were made.

Mr. J. B. O'Brien, another member of the board, arrived Monday noon and was present at the meeting.

W. F. Rankin of Tarkio, the other member of the board, was not present. No appointment has been made to fill the vacancy made by the refusal of W. H. Haynes of St. Joseph to serve.

Dr. Taylor received a letter from O. H. Swearingen, who is chairman of the house committee on appropriations saying that he regretted the inability of the committee to make the appropriation more liberal.

The school feels quite well satisfied with its treatment at the hands of the legislature, however, and it is gratifying to know there is such a kindly feeling existing on the part of the appropriations committee as to the needs of the institution.

WRECK ON WABASH.

Freight Train Off of the Track Two Miles East of Clyde on Monday.

A wreck occurred Monday morning about 5.30 on the Wabash two miles east of Clyde at the farm of Julius Klaas. The rails spread as the engine made the curve about forty feet from a trestle. Seven cars loaded with grain and lumber went over into the ditch and 100 feet of track was torn up, beside considerable injury to the bridge. The engine did not leave the track. No one was injured.

The work of construction was commenced soon after and by evening the track will be in condition to allow the passage of trains. The wreck delayed all Wabash passenger trains in Maryville today. No. 1, due here at 6 o'clock, did not arrive until 1:41 this afternoon, and they were detoured to St. Joseph from Darlington over the Burlington, and then from St. Joseph to Conception Junction over the Great Western, and then on the Wabash track west again to this city and Omaha. No. 12 was an hour late and went as far as the scene of the wreck and transferred its passengers at that point to No. 51, on the east side of the wreck, which will fill out the schedule of No. 12, on down to St. Louis, and No. 12 returned as No. 51, arriving at 1:15 this afternoon in this city.

FOR FLOOD PEOPLE.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church Raised $21 for People Back in Ohio.

At the Buchanan Street Methodist church Sunday $21 was raised for the flood sufferers back in Ohio and Indiana.

Secretary John I. Hoffman of the Commercial club reported Monday that C. D. Bellows had given $5 Judge Ira K. Alderman $2, Prof. G. H. Colbert 50 cents, and B. S. Bostick 50 cents, making a total fund of $25 to date. The Empire theater benefit show is to be given this evening at 7 o'clock and the entire proceeds of the show will go for the flood sufferers. Secretary Hoffman is to telegraph the money to the Red Cross society at Dayton Tuesday noon.

FR. ANSELM TO SWITZERLAND.

He Will Leave Next Monday for Lucerne, Switzerland, to Visit His Mother.

Rev. Fr. Anselm, the faithful pastor and founder of St. Mary's Catholic church of this city, will leave next Monday for Lucerne, Switzerland, to visit his mother, who is 84 years old. He will be joined at St. Louis by Abbott Ignatius of Subjoca, Ark., who will accompany him on the trip and will also visit his old home at Lucerne. The many friends of Fr. Anselm will rejoice with him, as he has longed for a visit with his mother for some time. And yet, he is loth to leave his work at St. Mary's for so long a time

HOW TO GET AID

NODAWAY COUNTY MAY GET $6,500 FROM STATE.

CONDITIONS NOT HARD

Some of the Schools Are Already Meeting Conditions Required by Law Providing for State Aid.

The last legislature has passed a law which will give several of the high schools of Nodaway county a very valuable help, provided the schools will meet the conditions, and these conditions are not difficult and some of the schools are already meeting them.

The conditions on which a high school may receive state aid are as follows:

The valuation of the district must be less than $300,000.

It must be an organized district with six directors.

It must levy the maximum (100 cents on the $100) for school purposes (teacher and incidental).

It must maintain an approved high school and employ a competent principal.

It must pay each of its teachers $40 or more per month.

It must admit non-resident pupils to the high school on a reasonable tuition.

During the past year the average attendance in the high school must average fifteen or more pupils.

It must give an approved course of at least one year in agriculture.

Under these conditions the following schools may receive about the following amounts:

Hopkins, $800.

Burlington Junction, $720.

Skidmore, $720.

Graham, Elmo, Clearmont, Pickering, Barnard and Parnell, from $300 to $400.

This will make a total of about $4,000 state aid that the high schools of the county may receive by meeting the provisions of this law. School boards should look well to the employment of teachers that will enable them to secure this aid, and also to the necessary equipment required for the school work.

The rural schools of the county will receive probably $2,500 extra state aid, that is the rural districts, together with the high school aid, which makes a total of $6,500 aid that may be secured for Nodaway county for next year.

TWO NEW AUTOMOBILES HERE.

George Robb Ellison and E. E. Williams Received Their Hudson Six Cars Sunday.

There are two new automobiles in Maryville, George Robb Ellison and E. E. Williams receiving their cars Sunday. They are Hudson Six 1913 model cars and both of them are beauties. They were driven up from St. Joseph on Sunday, and in the party were Messrs. Ellison and Williams, Judge W. C. Ellison, Dr. Frank Wallis, Cleve Funk, W. F. Phares and James Todd.

HELD ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

S. O. Hutchison Heads U. C. T. Lodge—The Other Officers Selected.

The annual election of officers was held Saturday night by the U. C. T. lodge of this city in the K. P. hall. The following were selected:

S. O. Hutchison, senior counselor.
Harold M. Walker, junior counselor.
Hal T. Hooker, past counselor.
E. D. Orear, secretary treasurer.
John L. Moore, conductor.
Verne Wray, page.
Henry Westfall, sentinel.

C. C. Corwin and F. P. Reuillard, members of the executive committee for two years; George J. Moore and E. B. Sheldon, members of the executive committee for one year.

The representatives to the grand council which meets at Chillicothe, Mo., June 6 ,are E. G. Orear, Hal Hooker and S. O. Hutchison. The alternates are J. H. Thorp, W. J. Hutton and Irvin Bartram.

Returned to Chicago.

Miss Dorothy Pierce left Sunday morning for Chicago to resume her studies in the Chicago university, after a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday.

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given, under and by virtue of an order of the board of directors, that there will be a meeting of the citizens of the Maryville public school district at the court house at 7:30 p. m. Monday, March 31, 1913, for the purpose of nominating two school directors, each for the next ensuing term of three years.

GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secy.,
W. A. BLAGG, Pres.

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CALL FOR CITY ELECTION.

To the voters of the city of Maryville, Missouri: It is hereby ordered that an election be held in the city of Maryville, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, 1913, for the purpose of selecting one alderman from the First ward, one alderman from the Second ward, one alderman from the Third ward, and one alderman from the Fourth ward, each for a term of two years. The polling places will be as follows:

First ward—City hall.
Second ward—Robey garage.
Third ward—Gray's feed yard.
Fourth ward—Star barn.

Witness my hand this 17th day of March, 1913.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.
Attest: C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

Resolution No. 133.

A resolution appointing judges of election.

Be it resolved by the board of aldermen of the city of Maryville, Missouri, as follows:

That the following named persons be appointed as judges of election to be held in the city of Maryville, Missouri, on Tuesday, April 1st, 1913:

First ward—Noah Sipes, J. Croy, Ed Hamlin, Austin Nash.

Second ward—F. C. Conrad, I. V. McMillan, Wm. Sawyers, Jeff Ford.

Third ward—A. R. Souers, John Hull, James Cook, Samuel Sclecman.

Fourth ward—James Murray, John T. Moore, William Helpley, O. P. Wade.

Passed and approved this 17th day of March, 1913.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.
Attest: C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

SHOULD REGISTER THEIR CARS,

Persons Owning Motor Vehicles Should Read the Motor Vehicle Law.

Persons owning and operating motor vehicles should obtain a copy of the motor vehicle law, as amended by the forty-seventh general assembly, which law is now in effect, having been passed with the emergency clause. There are some material changes with which all persons owning or operating motor vehicles should acquaint themselves.

It is possible that a number of persons who registered their motor vehicles in 1912, as provided by section 5 of the motor vehicle law have failed to register them for the year 1913. All persons who have motor vehicles and are operating them without displaying the 1913 number plate, the blue one, should register their cars at once, for the year 1913, and obtain this blue number plate. It is very important that every car be registered so that in case of accident to life or property it can be identified.

To use a red plate, 1912, now is as much a crime as using none, and having registered, but running without the blue number plate, 1913, is as much a violation of the law as not registering. Every person in Nodaway county owning or operating a motor vehicle, who has not already complied with the provisions of the motor vehicle law, should do so at once.

The Palindrome.

Undoubtedly the most wonderful specimen of a palindrome on earth is one in Latin. It not only reads backward and forward alike, but the initial letters of each word spell the first word, the second letters of each word spell the second, and so on. It is in Latin. Doubtless such a wonder could not be produced in English. Here it is: Sator arepo tenet opera rotas.—Railroad Telegrapher.

I wish to withdraw my name as a candidate for fourth ward alderman. I will not serve if elected. I thank my friends for the nomination, however.

Respectfully, P. DOUGAN.

TO REPRESENT CENTRAL.

St. Joseph High School Getting Ready For the Annual Meet and Other Contests.

The St. Joseph Central high school is getting ready for the annual contests to be held in Maryville on April 25 and 26, under the auspices of the Normal. The following is from the Gazette of that city:

Miss Hazel Vaughn was selected Friday afternoon to represent Central high school in the declamation contests at Maryville, Friday night, April 25. Miss Vaughn was chosen in preliminary contests held at the school. The representative in the boys' oratorical contest has not been chosen, but probably will be some time this week.

An entertainment will be given by the Central high school orchestra Friday night in the Robidoux school auditorium, the proceeds of which will be used to defray the expenses of sending the orchestra to Maryville next month. The organization has furnished music for the literary contests the night before the big meet every year since the association was formed, and it is planned to continue the custom this year. The entertainment Friday will be high class in every respect, and the program will be extensive and varied.

You can't do better in the city than at C. Weaver's, 15 West Third street.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

Notice to Shareholders.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the People's Telephone Union of Maryville last Saturday a motion was made and carried that the board of managers of the People' Telephone Union of Maryville recognize the justness of the one dollar assessment ordered by the annual meeting on March 8, 1913; also the unconstitutionality of such assessment, and appeal to the patrons of the system to pay such assessment by the 12th of April. In the meantime the board of managers are responsible for over $500.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

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You Choose the Colors For Your New Rugs

Let me show you the many beautiful patterns from which you can select, plain, fancy, ornamental—fit for any parlor. These rugs are reversible, bright and durable—woven in 12 colors and 29 sizes—large and small—without seams. Guaranteed to wear 10 years. Every order completed within three days.

Your old carpets are worth money, no matter how badly worn. Don't throw them away. Write me a postal or telephone me, and I will call with samples, book of designs, prices and complete information about this good money-saving opportunity.

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304 West Third St. Bell phone 485.

BIRD TO CIRCUIT BENCH.

Former Nodaway County Man is Now Circuit Judge of Jackson County.

Daniel E. Bird of Kansas City was appointed Saturday by Governor Major as circuit judge of Jackson county to fill one of the two new divisions created by the last legislature. He will serve until the next election. The office pays $5,000 a year.

Mr. Bird is a former Nodaway county man. He is 40 years old, was born in Nodaway county and has practiced law in Kansas City since 1900. He is unmarried, and he said yesterday that the first money he made was blacking boots at Quitman, his native home.

"Every dollar I have spent since I was 12 years old I made myself, and since I have been 15 years old I have been the main support of my mother and sisters," he said yesterday.

Mr. Bird received his education in the public and high schools at Quitman, Maryville seminary and the Stanberry normal. In winter he taught school, in summer clerked in a grocery store, and at night read law.

"I can trace my family history back to William Bird the conqueror, and I am the first of the Birds to hold a political office."

Mr. Bird also attended the law school at the state university at Columbia and was graduated from the Kansas City school of law. He was admitted to practice in 1900.

Mr. Bird is well known to members of the bar in Maryville and he has visited this city often. His many friends here are glad he was appointed, knowing that he will fill the office with credit.

KILLED IN IOWA.

Parnell Young Man Struck by Hay Baler at Adair, Ia., Saturday Afternoon—Died on Way to Hospital.

George Jewett Hanks, 32 years old, a young man of Parnell, was struck Saturday afternoon by a hay baler, near Adair, Ia., where he was working, and died shortly after.

The man for whom the young man was working started on the train with him for Des Moines, Ia., intending to take him to a hospital, but death came soon after the train started.

The body was brought to Parnell Monday noon to the home of the young man's parents, Henry Hanks, who was summoned to Iowa Saturday.

The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the M. P. church in Parnell, conducted by Rev. J. H. Coffey.

Besides the parents and brother, deceased is survived by three sisters, Miss Lucy Hanks of Rural Valley, Pa.; Mrs. Kate Music, living in Montana, and Mrs. Sarah Lambert of Bedford, Ia.

MT. AYR.

Neither the ground hog or the early Easter has much to do with bringing us early spring.

Horatio Schoonover and Tom Kane put in a new pump at the school house last week which was a very much needed improvement.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, a pair of twin boys, and they were christened right away Raymond and Roman.

Farmers ought to be as careful in selecting their seed potatoes as corn. get home grown variety. Those from a distance do no good in this soil.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irwin and daughter, Edith, were Wednesday guests of their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Mercer.

Leo Heltman is suffering from an attack of the measles; the only case in this vicinity.

Horatio Schoonover trimmed up his apple orchard and put it in shape to raise large fruit.

The high wind Sunday evening tore away a corn crib and another out house for John Hall and ruined a peach orchard for Mrs. Inman.

The wind seems more severe this spring than common. We always expect high winds in March, but one like this spring is unprecedented.

Miss Ora Wilcox and brother of Maryville spent Saturday in St. Joseph with friends.

Quarterly meeting at 2 o'clock and business of the church transacted. Sunday services as usual at Mt. Ayr.

We were at Mrs. Inman's the other day and she has a fine lot of Early Ohio seed potatoes.

To Salt Lake for a Year.

Miss Nannie Moses, Miss Audrey Howendobler and Cliff Howendobler will leave soon for Salt Lake City, Utah, where they will spend a year at the home of an invalid aunt of Miss Moses'. The Howendobler residence on South Buchanan street has been leased for a year to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Airy, who have taken possession of it. Miss Moses will leave this week for Salt Lake, while Mr. Howendobler and Miss Howendobler will visit relatives in Kansas City and Leavenworth before joining her at Salt Lake.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

CONDENSED STATEMENT

Of the Condition of the

Nodaway Valley Bank

Maryville, Mo.,

At the Close of Business, March 26th, 1913.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$480,251.85	Capital stock	$100,000.00
Overdrafts	12,555.88	Surplus and undivided profits	36,666.43
Bonds	4,120.00	Due banks and bankers	255.11
Real estate	3,850.00	DEPOSITS	617,655.28
Furniture and fixtures	3,000.00		
Cash and sight exchange	250,799.09		
	$754,576.82		$754,576.82

COMPARATIVE.

Deposits March 26, 1913	$617,655.28
Deposits March 26, 1912	429,785.38
INCREASE	$187,869.90

The above statement is correct,
JAS. B. ROBINSON, President.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle Meeting.

The M. I. Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Blagg.

Palestine Aid Society.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Palestine church, twelve miles southwest of Maryville, will meet Thursday, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, in an all-day session.

Back From Honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard returned Monday noon from their two weeks' honeymoon trip to St. Louis and New Orleans, and are at the home of Mrs. Bovard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker.

Married at Minister's Home.

Miss Lela Carver of Elmo and Mr. Frederick Glassford of Burlington Junction, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Glassford went to the bride's home in Elmo immediately after the ceremony. The groom is a dredge engineer, and they will soon go to Little Rock, Ark., near where he will be employed.

Luncheon for P. E. O. Officers.

The newly elected officers for the P. E. O. chapter were the complimented guests at a luncheon given Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock by the chapter, at the home of Miss Mabel Todd. The four-course menu was served at four tables, the honor guests being seated at a specially arranged table. The decorations were entirely in the chapter colors, yellow and white. A crystal basket filled with yellow tulips was placed in the center of the officers' table, and yellow tapers in crystal candlesticks tied with yellow tulle bows were used. The smaller tables were centered with yellow tulips, and these blossoms were given as favors. During the luncheon informal toasts were given, Miss Fannie Hope telling of some P. E. O. experiences; Miss Carrie Hopkins of "Our Absent Members," concluding by reading a letter from Mrs. Harry Irwin of Los Angeles, Cal. The toasts were followed with a brief business session, during which Mrs. L. O. Goble was received as a member from Chapter K of Osceola, Ia., and Miss Mabel Todd was elected president to take the place of Miss Nelle Conrad, who resigned. The honorees of the luncheon were Miss Nelle Conrad, resigning president; Mrs. J. D. Richey, vice president; Miss Fannie Hope, recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. Miller, corresponding secretary; Miss Mary Q. Evans, treasurer, and Miss Carrie Hopkins, chaplain. The other guests included Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. F. W. Crow, Mrs. Frank L. Garrett, Mrs. L. O. Goble, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. Charles Wadley, Miss May Anthony, Miss May Corwin, Miss Mabel Todd.

DR. A. T. FISHER
Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

To Our Friends and Patrons:

After April 1st, 1913, we will be in our new quarters, over the E. W. Friend barber shop on Third St., where we will conduct a first class Clothes Cleaning and Pressing Shop for ladies and gentlemen. We especially call your attention to our repairing and altering department. Bring on your old clothes.

VanSteenbergh & Son

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—20,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Hogs—55,000. Market 5c lower; top, $9.40. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—20,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—8,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.95.

Sheep—8,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,200. Market steady.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, $9.00.

Sheep—4,000. Market 10c higher.

School Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the independent school district of Maryville, Missouri, that at the regular annual election of said district to be held at the voting places in the various wards in the city of Maryville, for the election of city officers of said city of Maryville, on

Tuesday, April 1st, 1913,

there will be submitted to the qualified voters, who are taxpayers of said school district voting at such election, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of said district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the board of directors of said school district for the maintenance of the schools and for school purposes in said school district for the next ensuing school year. Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Done by order of the board of directors this March 14th, 1913.

W. A. BLAGG, President.
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25 cent Store

A full and complete line of Curtain Net now on sale, at 10c yd.

Special
Saturday, 2 p. m.
Beautiful line of
Framed Pictures
25c each.

When you think of
FLOWERS
Think of the
Engelmann
Greenhouses
THE ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES
1001 South Main St.
Phones, Hanamo 17 1-3; Bell 126.

Secretary—Here's a letter from a fresh-air mission begging a contribution.

Magnate—A fresh-air mission? Send them a draft.

Quality Shop
West Third Street
For Wall Paper. Borders same prices as walls and ceilings. Painting and paperhanging. E. J. THORNTON. Hanamo phone 420.

R. S. BRANIGER
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Well, What About
R. S. Braniger?
Why, he is the man that is surely in the seed and feed business. I am certainly ready for you in these lines. For fowls, men and beasts.

Flour, per sack ..... $1.00 and $1.10
Shorts, 100 lbs, $1.15; 500 lbs .. $5.50
Bran, 100 lbs, $1.10; 500 lbs .. $5.00
Oil Meal, 100 lbs, $1.65; 500 lbs for $8.00
Swift's 60 per cent digestive Tankage $2.25
Swift's 60 per cent digestive Tankage, 500 lbs $11.00
Swift's Meat Scraps, 100 lbs .. $5.00
Swift's Bone Meal, 100 lbs .. $4.00
Swift's Blood Meal, 100 lbs .. $5.00
Alfalfa Meal, 100 lbs $1.25
Alfalmo, 100 lbs, $1.25; 500 lbs $6.00
All kinds of Hay, Straw and Chicken Feed, Chicken Coops and Fountains.

SEEDS AND SEEDS.

Seed Corn, shelled, bu $2.00
Seed Corn, in the ear, bu $3.00
Red Clover Seed .. $12.50 to $15.00
Alfalfa Seed, bu $10.00
Alsyke Seed, bu $16.00
Timothy Seed $1.50
Rape Seed, bu $5.00
Cane Seed, bu $1.00
Kaffir Corn, bu $1.00
Blue Grass Seed, bu $2.50

If there is anything else in this line you think of send for sample. I've got 'em

R. S. BRANIGER
The Seed, Feed and Storage Man
307 East Side Square.

STOMACH GONE BAD SOUR, GASSY, UPSET?

When "Pape's Diapepsin" Gets in Stomach All Indigestion Goes.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain remedy in the whole world and beside it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know now it is needless to have a bad stomach.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. It should be kept handy, should one of the family eat something which doesn't agree with them or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night it is there to give the quickest, surest relief known.

John M. Murrin and Earl Parmann went to Atchison, Kan., Sunday. Mr. Murrin visited his son, John Owen Murrin, in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reidlinger of Clyde were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. —Advertisement.

Cash vs. Credit

Try cash dealing this month (April) and keep account of the savings. The total will surprise you. April is always a big business month.

At TOWNSEND'S

Read our price lists closely. We will have hundreds of convincing Grocery bargains to offer the cash buyer. To open April business we offer on Tuesday:

25c pkgs Quaker Rolled Oats (always the best) for.....15c
10c pkgs Pearl Hominy, Cracked Wheat, Scotch Oat Meal, Corn Meal, Farina or Hominy Grits for.....5c
Bulk Cocoanut, any amount, lb....15c
Pure Ground or Whole Sifted Black Pepper, per lb.....16c
Bliss Triumph, earliest Seed Potatoes, per peck.....25c
Fancy quality Whole Grain Pearl Rice, any amount, lb.....5c
500 lbs finest selected pieces Pickled Pork, 2 lbs.....25c
Fresh Garden Seeds (ten thousand pkgs), per doz 15c; 2 doz.....25c
Genuine Red River Ohio Seed Potatoes, per bu.....70c
Large White Smooth Burbank's Table Potatoes, per bu.....65c
Sack Fancy Cream High Patent Flour for.....$1.05
10c pkgs Holland Rusk for.....8c
Snider's Famous Baked Beans, 10c cans, 8c; 15c cans, 12c; 20c cans 16c
100 gallons choice Sour Kraut (arrived today), at store, per gal.....10c
1,000 lbs solid Holland Cabbage, 2c per lb; quantity lots.....1½c
Finest Smoked Bloaters 6 for.....25c
Pure Jelly, 2 tumblers for.....15c
Quart Mason jar Blackberry (compound preserves).....20c
Pure Fruit and Sugar Preserves and Jams, 25c, 30c and 35c jars, all at, each.....20c
"Marie Elizabeth" French Sardines, boneless, 2 cans.....35c
"Marie Elizabeth" French Sardines, with bones, per can.....15c
Norwegian Smoked Sardines ,tiny fish in bouillon, per can.....5c
Very fine Cream Cheese, lb.....20c
Club Cheese, in jars only.....5c

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* THIS WEEK WE HILL HAVE A *
* GOOD SUPPLY FRESH TOMA- *
* TOES PARSNIPS, CRANBER- *
* RIES, LETTUCE, FANCY GRAPE *
* FRUIT, STRAWBERRIES, CEL- *
* ERY, RHUBARB, GUARANTEED *
* QUALITY ORANGES AND BA- *
* NANAS. *
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6 lbs Granulated Sugar can be included in April 1st order for.....25c
25c will get you 6 cans No. 1 quality Sugar Corn tomorrow.
Yellow Jersey Seed Sweet Potatoes, per doz.....5c
Lemons (sound Messina) per doz..30c
Choice Red Globe Onions, per bu..75c
Choicest quality Apples, barrel $2.50

The Townsend Co.

The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

ILLINOIS MAY BE NEXT TO SUFFER

Governor Receives Messages From Cairo Levees in Danger.

JUNCTION WIRES FOR TENTS.

Communication Is Cut Off and Executive Thinks Flood Has Broken Levee—Shawneetown in Distress. Seventh Regiment on Way.

Investigations tended to confirm the estimates of deaths in the floods that swept over a score of cities in Ohio and Indiana last week at between 500 and 600.

The latest estimates show the following deaths:

Ohio

Dayton	150	Coshocton	5
Hamilton	91	Middletown	9
Columbus	64	Valley Jct.	6
Zanesville	10	Harrison	12
Delaware	14	Cleaves	2
Chillicothe	15	Van Wert	3
Miamisburg	15	Venice	3
Piqua	12	Mansfield	1
Tiffin	15	Globe Center	1
Mount Vernon	10	Wooster	3
Fremont	14	Londonville	1
Franklin	4	New Beth'hem	2
Troy	9		

Ohio total.....471

Indiana.

Peru	20	Fort Wayne	6
Brookville	16	Terre Haute	3
Washington	4	W. Indianapolis	1
Frankfort	2	Lafayette	1
Logansport	1	Newcastle	1
Rushville	1		
Muncie	1	Shelburn	1

Indiana total.....60
Grand total.....531

As the flooded rivers recede the death list gradually grows, bodies being picked out of the debris and found in the lowlands. Ultra conservative estimates place the number of dead in Ohio at not more than 500.

Springfield, Ill., March 31.—Illinois threatens to become the center of flood distress. Startling messages were received by Governor Dunne and Adjutant General Dickson, indicating that Shawneetown and Cairo are in imminent danger of being inundated. Other towns are in distress.

The governor received a message from Cairo that the water was within one foot of the top of the levee which protects the city and that the river was still rising.

Bernard Lamb of Junction, Gallatin county, has wired for 100 tents for refugees. E. C. Fletcher of Mounds has wired for fifty tents for homeless people there

Governor Dunne received word that telephonic communication with Cairo had been cut off. The governor fears that the breaking of communication means the levee has collapsed.

The governor personally is directing the mobilization of troops and the rushing of supplies.

In talking over the telephone with Governor Dunne Mayor Parsons of Cairo stated that despite flood warnings, advising residents to move to higher ground, the number of those who have taken this advice has been offset several times over by thousands of refugees from all along the river, who have been rushing into Cairo.

Adjutant General Dickson and Colonel S. E. Tripp left today for Cairo to take charge of the troops there. In a message received it was stated that conditions at Shawneetown are alarming and that a break in the levee is feared at any time.

Many of the residents have moved to the hills back of the town, but a break in the levee would cause a large loss of life and property.

Ten thousand army rations were sent to Cairo by express.

No Suffering Exists.

Washington, March 31.—"All places affected by the flood in such a way as to need help are receiving it and it is not believed that suffering exists anywhere now from want of food or shelter," was the report to Adjutant General Andrews from Major General Wood, chief of staff, who, with Secretary of War Garrison, is directing relief operations in the flooded district. He added, while loss of life has been very heavy, it was far smaller than first reports indicated.

"Do not send any more government supplies," said the report, "unless the department's representatives on the ground request them. Any supplies available should be held for possible needs farther down the river. Major Normoyle has received the great bulk of the supplies sent to Columbus and is busily engaged in shipping them out to points where required."

Columbus Cleaning Up.

Columbus, O., March 31.—Reconstruction of the west side of Columbus, where the flood of last Tuesday wrought the heaviest damage, was begun in earnest today by the undaunted citizens of that district. Twelve additional bodies were recovered from the debris, but many of them have been identified as persons previously reported dead, so that the Columbus death list still remains sixty-four. Many are reported missing, but the list is gradually growing smaller. Fifty-nine bodies had been recovered. Working day and night laborers have succeeded in patching up the big break in the levee which caused the disaster on the west side.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET ♣ ♣ ♣ MARYVILLE MO.

Any Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

Alderman's Spring Stocks are Wonderfully Complete

They Are Just Full of Newness and Beauty

SUITS

We show one of our most popular suits on this page. It is distinctive and emphasizes the style tendencies without being extreme. Note the snappy shape of the cutaway front, the long revers, the fanciful stitch lines and the pocket effect produced by inserting the materials in a bias patch over the hips. This is a great value for $25

COATS

This is our snappiest Spring Coat Model. It is fifty inches long, comes in plain or selfstriped eponge in a choice of many colors, and is full lined with brilliant plaid silk. Note the artistic collar which is inlaid with eponge of a contrasting color. This style is one that most any woman can wear. A variety of colors and materials in this style for $20

Millinery

New Hats are arriving daily. Something newer and more attractive in each lot. And remember our prices are low.

Trimmed and Untrimed Panamas in large and small sizes, ready for your inspection, **$6, $7** and **$8** grades.

Untrimmed Shapes in Milans and hemp braids. Styles to suit all, at **$1** and up.

Children's Headgear, latest style, dress or street wear, for children all ages.

See the fancy stickups, feathers and novelties that are very attractive. Prices to suit.

Dress Goods

Beautiful Dresses for evening and streer wear, made of charmeuse, messaline, challie and crepe meteor. All of them djrect from the manufacturer. Priced at **$15.**

Children's Wash Dresses

Gingham, percale and madris wash dresses for children from 2 to 14. All ready to wear for what the goods alone would cost you. Each **65c** to **$3.50.**

Children's Aprons with sleeves for **65c** to **75c.**

Neckwear

Among the new arrivals are the latest style collars and cuffs. Bulgarians, ratine, pique and cotton crepe collars **25c** to **50c.** Cuffs to match for same price.

A large assortment of the new string ties for 25c each. Some of the little bows in the Bulgarian style for 25c each. **Fancy Lace Jabots** 35c, 50c and 75c. Pleatings of shadow lace and plain net in cream and white, 30c and 35c the yard.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET ♣ ♣ ♣ MARYVILLE MO

To Have Branch Salesroom.

The Field-Lippman Piano company of this city will establish a branch salesroom at Conception Junction. They have arranged to have C. E. Lierly handle their line, and Mr. Lierly will attend to the business.

How Any Woman Can Cure Indigestion.

Most stomach remedies are makeshifts—they give relief but afterwards the stomach is just as weak, just as unable to digest the food as it was before.

Women especially should not depend on relievers only. MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets not only give prompt relief but they put strength and elasticity into the stomach walls and cause the digestive juices to act naturally.

They do more; they force the digestive organs to supply the blood with pure nourishment which is carried to the muscles, nerves, brain and skin. Result: healthy muscles, strong nerves, clear head, and clean skin. Orear-Henry Drug Co. guarantee MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets.—Advertisement.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

IOWA AND MISSOURI GRANITE WORKS, BEDFORD IOWA.

Maryville Office
Room 12 Michau Bldg.

Mounments and makers. We design and build then; we guarantee all our material. Mounments should be artistic as well as permanent. We solicit the opportunity to demonstrate to you our ability in this line. Quality and reliability.

J. E .OLIVER, Rep.

QUALITY SHOP

West Third Street

Have your old shoes look like new Let the man who knows how do your repair work. Only first class work done or no charge.

McIntire's
Goodyear Quality Boot Shop
West Third Street. Hanamo phone 42(
Just east of Alderman's.

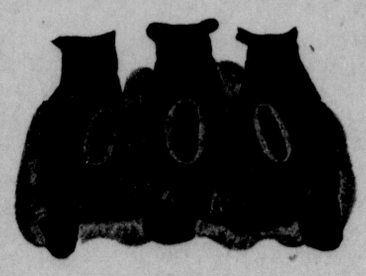
Mrs. M. J. Heffern was called to St. Joseph Friday morning by the illness of Mrs. Margaret Walker.

W. G. Wilson of Lipscomb county, Texas, who has been visiting at Graham, was in Maryville Monday the guest of his daughter, Mrs. George Pat Wright. He was accompanied to Maryville by his son, John Wilson and Mrs. Wilson of Graham.

You can't do better in the city than at C. Weaver's, 15 West Third street.

Miss **Edith Patterson**, living northwest of **Maryville**, is visiting with her cousin, **Miss Hazel McComb**, over Sunday. **Miss McComb** is attending the State Normal.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated Rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.



O Ye Owls

Grand Opening of New Hall

Tuesday, April 1st.

Big class of 60 for initiation, wrestling match between Steve Viles, champion middle weight of Nodaway county and Jose Campbell, for the championship, boxing matches, big banquet Reduced rates. Everybody is joining. Get in line. Get application from any Owl. Last call Tuesday, April 1st.

To Our Friends and Neighbors

You know us. You know we would not—that we could not afford to—go back on our word. Nor can you afford to ignore this money-back-if-not-satisfied offer on this splendid laxative.

We honestly believe we have the best bowel remedy ever made—the most pleasant-to-take, most permanently beneficial laxative for relief from the miseries and dangers arising from constipation.

We wouldn't say this if we didn't believe it to be true. We wouldn't risk our reputation by making such statements did we not feel sure you would find them true.

Our faith is built both on the knowledge of what Rexall Orderlies are made of and on observation of very many severe cases in which they have proven their merit.

Try them at Our Risk

If they do not abundantly prove their merit with you also—if you are not entirely satisfied with them—we will refund your money—and we will do that on your mere say-so. We don't ask you to risk a penny. Isn't that fair?

Just let the bowels fail in properly doing their work—just let their action be delayed and incomplete and the entire system and every other organ suffers. Wastes that should have been dispelled remain to poison the system.

Headaches, biliousness, nervousness and other tormenting and serious ills are common when the bowels fail to act daily as nature intended. All this may be avoided, if you will accept our advice.

Rexall Orderlies

taste just like candy. They are soothing and easy in action. They do not cause griping, nausea, purging or excessive looseness. They tend to tone and strengthen intestinal nerves and muscles. They promptly relieve constipation, and help to permanently overcome it.

Rexall Orderlies promote better spirits and better health. In all of these things they are vastly superior to old-fashioned, harsh salts and other purgatives, which are not only unpleasant to take but which usually leave the bowels in worse condition than before. We particularly recommend Rexall Orderlies for children, aged and delicate persons.

Rexall Orderlies come in vest-pocket tin boxes. 12 tablets, 10c; 36 tablets, 25c; 80 tablets, 50c.

CAUTION: Please bear in mind that Rexall Orderlies are not sold by all druggists. You can buy Rexall Orderlies only at The Rexall Stores.
You can buy Rexall Orderlies in this community only at our store:

OREAR-HENRY DRUG CO.

MARYVILLE The Rexall Store MISSOURI

There is a Rexall Store in nearly every town and city in the United States, Canada and Great Britain. There is a different Rexall Remedy for nearly every ordinary human ill—each especially designed for the particular ill for which it is recommended.

The Rexall Stores are America's Greatest Drug Stores

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Wiseman of Quitman announce the birth of a son, Friday night, March 28.

To Save Money get Prices on Buggies and Painting and Repairing of

Frank Barmann

The Old Reliable Buggy Man of 35 years in Maryville

WANTED

From 4 to 20 years old, weighing from 1000 to a ton. I buy every day in the year, and pay the high dollar. Show me your horses first, then sell to the high bidder. Remember the first look to me will make you money. Maryville every Saturday.

Jim Andy Ford

The Richards Funeral.

The funeral services for the late Hugh Richards of Guilford were held Saturday afternoon at the M. E. church, South, by Rev. S. E. Hoover. Six grandsons acted as pallbearers.

Mrs. E. W. Lyon of Arkoe is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford.

FOR MARYVILLE PEOPLE.

Maryville Citizens' Experiences Furnish Topic for Maryville Discussion.

The following experience occurred in Maryville. A Maryville citizen relates it.

Similar experiences are occurring daily.

Maryville people are being relieved.

Getting rid of distressing kidney ills.

Try Doan's Kidney Pills the tested remedy.

Maryville people testify, Maryville people profit.

The evidence is home evidence—the proof convincing.

Maryville testimony is gratefully given.

Maryville sufferers should heed it.

A. W. Hawkins, Main St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I can still recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as I did in the statement I gave for publication in 1911. Some years ago I had a weak, sore and aching back and at that time I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon gave me relief and I haven't used a kidney medicine since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Advertisement.

THE man with a bank account and proper identification can raise cash immediately in any corner of the globe. An endless chain of banks reaches around the world. If you have an account with this bank, your check will be worth its face value anywhere.

WE SOLICIT SAVINGS AND CHECKING ACCOUNTS AND ASSURE PROMPT AND EFFICIENT SERVICE

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS.....$122,000.00

HUNTINGTON IN DARKNESS

West Virginia City Is Facing Famine of Food and Water.

Huntington, W. Va., March 31.—This city was in total darkness last night, is facing both a food and water famine and 15,000 of the 40,000 inhabitants are homeless. Twelve persons are reported missing and the property damage, according to close estimates, will amount to nearly $1,000,000.

The river reached a stage of 66.2 feet, the highest in the history of Huntington, and now is stationary.

The entire business section is inundated, water being up to the second floor in some buildings.

Governor H. D. Hatfield arrived here on a special train from Charleston, bringing supplies, motor boats and skiffs. The boats now are being taken through the different sections of the city to rescue hundreds who are marooned. The local military company has taken charge of the rescue work.

The electric light plant has been forced to shut down and the gas supply was cut off to prevent fires.

Although supplies have reached here from Charleston, the city is in great need of food and water.

While no reports had been received here from Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Catlettsburg, Ky., and Ironton, O., it is believed conditions similar to those here prevail in those cities.

DIRE PESTILENCE FEARED IN INDIANA

State Summons Medical Forces Against Disease.

Indianapolis, March 31.—Central Indiana is summoning its medical forces to fight disease which is following in the wake of the flood which swept that section last week. Sanitary experts expect hundreds of cases of typhoid, diphtheria, pneumonia and measles to develop. Scores of persons of all walks of life have been huddled for days in small halls and buildings. They have been forced to live like sheep and a pestilence is feared.

Thousands of persons will continue to be homeless until their residences have been cleaned of the filth left by the receding waters and fumigated. A majority of these refugees have no clothing except what they wore when the flood descended.

The cities along the Ohio river are preparing for the worst flood of their existence. Already thousands of persons have been driven from the bottom lands and the property damage runs in to the millions.

The water still is rising and the crest of the flood is three days away. Railroad communication with these cities has been cut off from the north.

Lawrenceburg, where the levee broke, is under seven feet of water. Water covers the first floors of the high school and court house, where 400 persons are marooned.

There are 3,800 homeless at Logansport, and the military medical corps say that the danger of a pestilence is greater than at any other point in the state.

Of the forty-two persons reported missing, twenty-one have been reported safe.

In response to an appeal from Mayor McDowell of Vincennes, Governor Ralston ordered 200 tents and supplies sent to that city.

MANY DRIVEN FROM HOMES

Ohio River Continues Rising and Lives Are Endangered.

Cincinnati, March 31.—With nearly 15,000 persons in the towns on the Kentucky side of the Ohio river driven from their homes by the rising yellow tide sweeping down the Ohio valley and with more than 2,500 homes altogether or partly submerged, the flood situation in this vicinity is assuming graver proportions hourly. Here the water front buildings are all partially under water and much damage has been done.

An increase in the river stage here will mean the isolation of the city from the Kentucky side and the stoppage of train service in this direction. So far only one life has been lost as a direct result of the high water here. Miss Anna Smith, the first victim drowned, lost her life in an attempt to reach Newport in a skiff that capsized in midstream.

START WORK OF REBUILDING

Warmer Weather Helps Destitute, but Is Dangerous to Health.

Dayton, O., March 31.—The work of rehabilitation began here as the work of rescue approached its end. The all important weather showed improvement as viewed by refugees as it was warmer and pleasant to frost and water chilled bones, but the sanitary experts accepted the rise in temperature with mixed feelings, for the cold had retarded the decomposition of animal matter and refuse.

R. H. Grant, in charge of the relief supplies committee, issued an appeal to all cities in the country, asking that as much bottle water be shipped to Dayton as possible. It is especially desired that this water be pure, as it is practically impossible to boil the water for drinking purposes.

Bernhardt and Drew Play for Benefit.

Denver, March 31.—A flood sufferers' benefit performance given by the theatrical companies playing here, with Sarah Bernhardt and John Drew as the leading attractions, added $5,000 to Colorado's contribution to the Ohio and Indiana relief funds.

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Don't neglect your hair if it is full of dandruff, losing its color or coming out. Get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and see what a few days' treatment will do for you. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

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TO REDUCE RATES

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER WILL MAKE THE EFFORT.

ORR BILL IS REPEALED

Two New Laws Signed by Governor Will Permit Prosecution of Insurance Combine as Trust.

An effort will be made by Insurance Commissioner Revelle to reduce the fire insurance rates in the state since Governor Major has signed the two Orr bills repealing the Oliver fire insurance rating law and re-enacting the anti-trust statutes relating to fire insurance companies. Maryville is very much interested in this bill as the fire insurance rates were materially increased about a year ago. The following article explains the nature of the bill:

Although a vigorous protest had been lodged by fire insurance agents against this action, Governor Major did not feel justified in vetoing the action of the legislature, in view of the statewide demand for the repeal of the Oliver law

Just what the result will be is problematic, but State Insurance Commissioner Revelle will make an effort immediately to reduce the rates by the prosecution of companies which do not obey the new anti-trust law.

During the investigation conducted by the senate it was declared many times that an insurance trust existed in Missouri, and, while many senators voted for the bill solely on the strength of the demands of their constituents, they believed the new anti-trust law, if enforceable, would break the trust and restore competition.

Representative Orr of Livingstone, who introduced both bills in the legislature, believed there was no question that the state could enforce the section added to the old law which makes it prima facie evidence of a trust to maintain equal rates.

Under the old anti-trust law no lasting benefits were obtained by prosecution, and this new section is the mainstay on which the state expects to rely if fire insurance rates are to be reduced.

Under the Oliver law, enacted two years ago, the fire insurance companies formed an actuarial bureau in St. Louis, the purpose being to arrive at fair rates on all property in the state. The result was an increase variously estimated at from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000 annually in premiums.

The then State Insurance Commissioner, Frank Blake, was supposed to approve or disapprove the rates named by the companies, but after the law, which he advocated, went into effect he announced he was powerless to compel the insurance companies to reduce rates.

The general impression has been that the apparent failure of the law in reality was the failure of Blake to enforce it. In fact, Insurance Commissioner Revelle has stated on numerous occasions since the legislature convened that he could reduce rates under the Oliver law if the legislature did not real it, at a saving of $2,000,000 annually.

But, while the matter has been pending, he did not feel justified in ordering a reduction.

But, yielding to the popular clamor for the repeal of the law, many senators made certain the passage of the bill even when by so doing they acted against their best judgment.

Many believe the authority given insurance companies to combine and fix rates under the Oliver law will preclude the possibility of them being adjudged part of a trust, because they now continue to enforce those rates.

A pretty fight between the insurance department, aided by the attorney general, is expected as the direct outcome, and the first signal will be the order by Insurance Commissioner Revelle to reduce rates.

Virtually every company in the state maintains the same rate on the same property, and by that fact, authorized under the Oliver law, are parties to a trust. The big fight is expected to hinge on the question whether such a law is constitutional.

The penalty for violating the law under the bills, is a fine of not less than $500 or more than $5,000, or imprisonment in jail for a year or the penitentiary for more than five years, or both fine and imprisonment.

It is made the duty of the attorney general and the prosecuting attorneys of the state to institute proceedings for a violation of the law, and the circuit courts have jurisdiction to prevent and restrain persons, corporations and associations from entering into combinations to violate the law.

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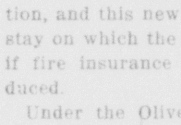

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DEATH OF LAWRENCE DORAN.

Body Was Brought From St. Joseph Sunday Night for Burial in St. Patrick's Seminary.

Lawrence Doran, who for forty years had been a resident of Nodaway county, died Saturday afternoon, March 29, in St. Joseph's hospital in St. Joseph, after a three weeks' illness of pneumonia. The body was brought to Maryville Sunday night and the funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at St. Patrick's church by Rev. Fr. Niemann. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Mr. Doran was born in Ontario, Canada, January 13, 1851. He was brought to Nodaway county by his parents when quite young and was for many years a resident of Maryville and this county. His wife died twenty-two years ago. He is survived by two sons, Henry and Bert Doran of St. Joseph, also two brothers, William Doran of Maryville, Robert Doran of Spring Ranch, Neb., and four sisters, Mrs. Amelia Diss of Ravenwood, Mrs. J. P. Tully of Winnipeg, Canada; Mrs. Kate McAuliffe of Huron, Kan., and Mrs. Ellen Killon of St. Joseph. Mr. Doran had lived in St. Joseph for the past eighteen years.

DEATH OF MRS. JONATHAN STARK.

Passed Away Saturday Evening After Illness of Nearly Three Weeks—Funeral Monday Afternoon.

Mrs. Jonathan Stark passed away Saturday evening at 7:25 o'clock at the family home, 506 East First street, after an illness of nearly three weeks. Mrs. Stark suffered blood poisoning in one of her hands a few weeks ago from a wound made by the point of her scissors. This trouble was entirely overcome, however, when erysipelas came in her face, and she was recovering from it when her heart failed, and for three days before her death it was known that she could not live.

The funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church. Burial took place in Oak Hill cemetery, five miles east of Maryville. The pall bearers were the elders of the church, Messrs. G. L. Wilfley, J. T. Karr, W. C. Frank, A. E. Bell, W. W. Glass, Dr. J. H. Todd.

A quartet composed of H. J. Becker, W. E. Goforth, Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mrs. J. D. Richey sang.

Mrs. Stark was the daughter of the late Adolph Stauble. She was born in Wayne county, Indiana, January 19, 1866, coming to Davies county, Missouri, with her parents when 3 years of age. A year later the family came to Nodaway county, Missouri, and settled on a farm five miles east of Maryville, where they lived for several years after the daughter and a son, now deceased, were married.

Mrs. Stark was married to her husband on the 14th day of February, 1893. Three children were born to them, Charles Adolph Stark, who died two years ago the 16th of March, while attending school in Maryville, and two daughters, Rosanna May, aged 16, and Anna Elizabeth, aged 14, who survive with the husband, and the mother, Mrs. Rosanna Stauble.

Mrs. Stark had been a member of the Christian church for seventeen years. Her life was distinctively Christian, and those who so deeply mourn her loss are bereaved of one of the sweetest and best women who have lived in the relation of daughter, wife and mother.

Pie Social and Dance.

A pie social and dance will be given Friday night, April 4, by the Woodmen of the World and the Woodmen Circle, for the benefit of the drill team.

S. S. CONVENTION

COUNTY ORGANIZATION WILL BE FORMED IN JUNE.

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL

Committee Will Arrange for Meeting to Which All Sunday Schools in County Will Send Delegates.

A Sunday school convention of all the Sunday schools in the county will be held in Maryville on June 17 and 18, the purpose of the meeting being to perfect a county organization. These dates were decided on Sunday afternoon at a meeting held at the First M. E. church which was attended by representatives from each of the five Sunday schools in this city.

At the meeting Sunday Mr. Williams of Liberty, Mo., field secretary of the State Sunday School association, was present and made an address. He urged that a county organization be perfected, as much good will result from an association of all of the Sunday schools of the county.

The superintendents of the five Sunday schools in the city, with W. M. Oakerson as chairman and Miss Mary Evans as treasurer, will arrange the program for the convention and also make the arrangements. At the convention the state association will send several of their lecturers and officers. Each Sunday school in the county will be entitled to five delegates, to be composed of the pastor of the church, the superintendent of the Sunday school and three laymen. It is estimated that there are fifty Sunday schools in the county.

The superintendents of the Sunday schools in Maryville are as follows: W. F. Smith of the First M. E. church, Dean G. H. Colbert of the First Presbyterian church, G. B. Roseberry of the Christian church, Anderson Craig of the Baptist church and V. I. Moore of the Buchanan Street Methodist church.

INTERESTING SERVICES.

Sunday Was a Big Day at the First M. E. Church—Rev. Zentz Preached.

The Sunday services at the First M. E. church were interesting and uplifting. The day commenced with a fine Sunday school, T. B. Maulding and his orchestra adding much life to the singing. Mr. Williams made the announcement of the afternoon meeting and then gave us a very informing and inspiring talk on the problem and possibilities of the boy in the Sunday school.

Rev. G. H. Zentz preached morning and evening to two large and appreciative audiences. The morning subject was "The Uplifting God." The text was Psalms 3:3. He said in part:

"That man in the beginning was without history, language, art, intellect or science. What has been the cause of his progress? The answer is in the text. God is the uplifter of our heads. He has done this great ideal which He has given to the race. For as is the ideal so the life. These ideals have been of two kinds, ideals of God and ideals of man. We find in ancient Israel these ideals of God. He is one God, and there is none other beside him. He is a God of unspeakable holiness. He is an immanent God, and in these latter days we have seen God in the face of Jesus Christ.

"God has also given us ideal of man. Ideals as to his origin, his duty and his destiny."

The evening service was very effective. The subject was the "Tower of the Home."

Services tonight at 7:30. Rev. Zentz will preach. Special music.

SUIT AGAINST LIGHT PLANT.

Jud Wren is Suing J. L. Fuqua Light Plant at Elmo for $65 for Labor.

A suit was filed Monday morning by Attorney Ellis G. Cook for Jud Wren against J. L. Fuqua, the owner of the Electric light plant at Elmo. According to the petition, Wren was employed to run and operate the light plant at Elmo by Fuqua, and he was to receive $30 a month. The petition states that he has been in charge of the plant for two and a half months, and that he has $65 coming to him for his labor, which is still due and remains unpaid.

Marriage Licenses.

F. T. Glassford...Burlington Junction
Lela M. Carver.....Elmo
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Mary C. Brady.....Clyde
John E. Merrigan.....Clyde
Nellie T. Brady.....Clyde
Frank M. Miller.....Clyde
Katie Sullivan.....Clyde

ALL HOMES THERE

EVERY FAMILY IN BAPTIST CHURCH WAS REPRESENTED.

BUDGET PLAN ADOPTED

Annual Rally Day of Sunday School Drew Big Crowd and $2,300 Was Subscribed for Church Work.

Evangelist Joe Jacobs of Kansas City, who is not an ordined minister, but a traveling salesman, who gave up his business about fifteen years ago to take charge of "The Messenger of Peace," a chapel car built for Baptist evangelistic work, was at the First Baptist church Sunday, and presided at the all-day service held at that church. It was the annual rally day for the Sunday school, and although every member of the church was not present, owing to sickness, every family was represented, and a splendid Sunday school session was the result. The new orchestra, under the direction of Miss Alma Nash, gave inspiring music. All the music for the entire day was beyond its usual high standard of excellence.

Mr. Jacobs took his Scripture for the 11 o'clock sermon from the 5th chapter of Ephesians, where it tells of the "glorious church, that is without spot or wrinkle or any such thing." He spoke of the life the membership must live in order that such a church may be realized. He pointed to the fact that the marriage relation was spoken of in this connection by the Apostle Paul to impress upon the minds of the Ephesians the sacredness of this church life, and said it was like it. That "husbands should love their wives as Christ loved the church; that the object of the life of Christ here was to sacrifice His life for the church, to love it, live for it and die for it; that the church, His bride, should be kept pure and without blemish." He said he believed if men loved their wives as they were admonished to love them in the 5th chapter of Ephesians, that the public attention would not need to be called to the necessity of divorce. He spoke of the standing the average church has in the eyes of the world, and said that nine out of ten members were looked upon as hypocrites by people on the outside who are intelligent and have some idea of the high standing the Church of God should require of its members, and says the low ideal of morals that is tolerated by our churches is the reason for so much skepticism and unbelief in the power of the Gospel to save men from their sins.

During the year just past the people of Kansas City spent $6,000,000 for entertainments and the churches spent $500,000 for missions.

The social hour at noon was greatly enjoyed by all. The men served a splendid lunch in cafeteria style, and a large crowd was present to partake of it.

In the afternoon another meeting was held to consider plans for the coming year. The budget plan has been adopted as the system of finance. The sum of $2,300 was raised toward the budget of $3,000 that is necessary to carry on the entire work of the church, and the remaining amount will be easily secured from those who were not able to be present. Of the $3,000, one-fourth of that amount will be set aside for missions and $1,500 for pastor's salary. The matter of a pastor was discussed, and the committee presented a good man for the church's consideration, but his name will not be made public for awhile.

At the night service Mr. Jacobs gave his fine stereopticon lecture, giving views of the beautiful western country over which he travels 50,000 miles every year.

Mr. Jacobs has direction of probably the most unique system of evangelization in the country, consisting of seven railway cars that operate in different sections of the west for the American Baptist Publication society, that are transported free of charge over any railroad in the United States, also fifty-four colporteur wagons, an automobile in California and a cruiser along the Pacific coast. A man in Pennsylvania sends him a check every Christmas day for $13,000, which supports thirteen chapel cars. This same man supports eighty-seven missionaries in all parts of the world, and the sun never sets on them.

Attended Show at St. Joseph.

Miss Rena Sturm and Mr. Cleve Funk attended the show of "Everywoman" at the Tootle theater in St. Joseph Saturday. Miss Sturm will remain in that city for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. John Walsh.

REGENTS ATTENDED CHAPEL.

Four Board Members Present at Exercises at Normal—oBard Meeting Monday Aftern on.

The chapel exercises at the Normal were of unusual interest Monday morning, due to the presence in the assembly of four of the members of the board of regents of the Northwest Normal. They were Hon. William P. Evans, state superintendent of schools; W. A. Blagg of this city, president of the board, Judge W. G. Hine of Savannah and Leo M. Phipps of Grant City, who is the newly appointed member of the board. County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson was also present.

Dr. H. K. Taylor presided at the exercises and introduced each member of the board, and each of the distinguished gentlemen responded with a few brief remarks.

A meeting of the regents was held Monday afternoon at the Normal building. Only routine work such as sanctioning the payment of bills and the like was taken up. Provisions for the extra teaching force for the summer quarter was discussed, but no appointments were made.

Mr. J. B. O'Brien, another member of the board, arrived Monday noon and was present at the meeting.

W. F. Rankin of Tarkio, the other member of the board, was not present. No appointment has been made to fill the vacancy made by the refusal of W. H. Haynes of St. Joseph to serve.

Dr. Taylor received a letter from O. H. Swearingen, who is chairman of the house committee on appropriations saying that he regretted the inability of the committee to make the appropriation more liberal.

The school feels quite well satisfied with its treatment at the hands of the legislature, however, and it is gratifying to know there is such a kindly feeling existing on the part of the appropriations committee as to the needs of the institution.

WRECK ON WABASH.

Freight Train Off of the Track Two Miles East of Clyde on Monday.

A wreck occurred Monday morning about 5.30 on the Wabash two miles east of Clyde at the farm of Julius Klaas. The rails spread as the engine made the curve about forty feet from a trestle. Seven cars loaded with grain and lumber went over into the ditch and 100 feet of track was torn up, beside considerable injury to the bridge. The engine did not leave the track. No one was injured.

The work of construction was commenced soon after and by evening the track will be in condition to allow the passage of trains. The wreck delayed all Wabash passenger trains in Maryville today. No. 1, due here at 6 o'clock, did not arrive until 1:41 this afternoon, and they were detoured to St. Joseph from Darlington over the Burlington, and then from St. Joseph to Conception Junction over the Great Western, and then on the Wabash track west again to this city and Omaha. No. 12 was an hour late and went as far as the scene of the wreck and transferred its passengers at that point to No. 51, on the east side of the wreck, which will fill out the schedule of No. 12, on down to St. Louis, and No. 12 returned as No. 51, arriving at 1:15 this afternoon in this city.

FOR FLOOD PEOPLE.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church Raised $21 for People Back in Ohio.

At the Buchanan Street Methodist church Sunday $21 was raised for the flood sufferers back in Ohio and Indiana.

Secretary John I. Hoffman of the Commercial club reported Monday that C. D. Bellows had given $5 Judge Ira K. Alderman $2, Prof. G. H. Colbert 50 cents, and B. S. Bostick 50 cents, making a total fund of $25 to date. The Empire theater benefit show is to be given this evening at 7 o'clock and the entire proceeds of the show will go for the flood sufferers. Secretary Hoffman is to telegraph the money to the Red Cross society at Dayton Tuesday noon.

FR. ANSELM TO SWITZERLAND.

He Will Leave Next Monday for Lucerne, Switzerland, to Visit His Mother.

Rev. Fr. Anselm, the faithful pastor and founder of St. Mary's Catholic church of this city, will leave next Monday for Lucerne, Switzerland, to visit his mother, who is 84 years old. He will be joined at St. Louis by Abbott Ignatius of Subjoca, Ark., who will accompany him on the trip and will also visit his old home at Lucerne. The many friends of Fr. Anselm will rejoice with him, as he has longed for a visit with his mother for some time. And yet, he is loth to leave his work at St. Mary's for so long a time.

HOW TO GET AID

NODAWAY COUNTY MAY GET $6,500 FROM STATE.

CONDITIONS NOT HARD

Some of the Schools Are Already Meeting Conditions Required by Law Providing for State Aid.

The last legislature has passed a law which will give several of the high schools of Nodaway county a very valuable help, provided the schools will meet the conditions, and these conditions are not difficult and some of the schools are already meeting them.

The conditions on which a high school may receive state aid are as follows:

The valuation of the district must be less than $300,000.

It must be an organized district with six directors.

It must levy the maximum (100 cents on the $100) for school purposes (teacher and incidental).

It must maintain an approved high school and employ a competent principal.

It must pay each of its teachers $40 or more per month.

It must admit non-resident pupils to the high school on a reasonable tuition.

During the past year the average attendance in the high school must average fifteen or more pupils.

It must give an approved course of at least one year in agriculture.

Under these conditions the following schools may receive about the following amounts:

Hopkins, $800.

Burlington Junction, $720.

Skidmore, $720.

Graham, Elmo, Clearmont, Pickering, Barnard and Parnell, from $300 to $400.

This will make a total of about $4,000 state aid that the high schools of the county may receive by meeting the provisions of this law. School boards should look well to the employment of teachers that will enable them to secure this aid, and also to the necessary equipment required for the school work.

The rural schools of the county will receive probably $2,500 extra state aid, that is the rural districts, together with the high school aid, which makes a total of $6,500 aid that may be secured for Nodaway county for next year.

TWO NEW AUTOMOBILES HERE.

George Robb Ellison and E. E. Williams Received Their Hudson Six Cars Sunday.

There are two new automobiles in Maryville, George Robb Ellison and E. E. Williams receiving their cars Sunday. They are Hudson Six 1913 model cars and both of them are beauties. They were driven up from St. Joseph on Sunday, and in the party were Messrs. Ellison and Williams, Judge W. C. Ellison, Dr. Frank Wallis, Cleve Funk, W. F. Phares and James Todd.

HELD ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

S. O. Hutchison Heads U. C. T. Lodge—The Other Officers Selected.

The annual election of officers was held Saturday night by the U. C. T. lodge of this city in the K. P. hall. The following were selected:

S. O. Hutchison, senior counselor.
Harold M. Walker, junior counselor.
Hal T. Hooker, past counselor.
E. D. Orear, secretary treasurer.
John L. Moore, conductor.
Verne Wray, page.
Henry Westfall, sentinel.

C. C. Corwin and F. P. Reuillard, members of the executive committee for two years; George J. Moore and E. B. Sheldon, members of the executive committee for one year.

The representatives to the grand council which meets at Chillicothe, Mo., June 6 ,are E. G. Orear, Hal Hooker and S. O. Hutchison. The alternates are J. H. Thorp, W. J. Hutton and Irvin Bartram.

Returned to Chicago.

Miss Dorothy Pierce left Sunday morning for Chicago to resume her studies in the Chicago university, after a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday.

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at **Crane's**

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given, under and by virtue of an order of the board of directors, that there will be a meeting of the citizens of the Maryville public school district at the court house at 7.30 p. m. Monday, March 31, 1913, for the purpose of nominating two school directors, each for the next ensuing term of three years.

GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secy.,
W. A. BLAGG, Pres.

(First insertion Mar. 18; last Mar. 31.)

CALL FOR CITY ELECTION.

To the voters of the city of Maryville, Missouri: It is hereby ordered that an election be held in the city of Maryville, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, 1913, for the purpose of selecting one alderman from the First ward, one alderman from the Second ward, one alderman from the Third ward, and one alderman from the Fourth ward, each for a term of two years. The polling places will be as follows:

First ward—City hall.
Second ward—Robey garage.
Third ward—Gray's feed yard.
Fourth ward—Star barn.

Witness my hand this 17th day of March, 1913.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.
Attest: C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

Resolution No. 133.

A resolution appointing judges of election.

Be it resolved by the board of aldermen of the city of Maryville, Missouri, as follows:

That the following named persons be appointed as judges of election to be held in the city of Maryville, Missouri, on Tuesday, April 1st, 1913:

First ward—Noah Sipes, J. Croy, Ed Hamlin, Austin Nash.

Second ward—F. C. Conrad, I. V. McMillan, Wm. Sawyers, Jeff Ford.

Third ward—A. R. Souers, John Hull, James Cook, Samuel Scleeman.

Fourth ward—James Murray, John T. Moore, William Helpley, O. P. Wade.

Passed and approved this 17th day of March, 1913.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.
Attest: C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

SHOULD REGISTER THEIR CARS,

Persons Owning Motor Vehicles Should Read the Motor Vehicle Law.

Persons owning and operating motor vehicles should obtain a copy of the motor vehicle law, as amended by the forty-seventh general assembly, which law is now in effect, having been passed with the emergency clause. There are some material changes with which all persons owning or operating motor vehicles should acquaint themselves.

It is possible that a number of persons who registered their motor vehicles in 1912, as provided by section 5 of the motor vehicle law have failed to register them for the year 1913. All persons who have motor vehicles and are operating them without displaying the 1913 number plate, the blue one, should register their cars at once, for the year 1913, and obtain this blue number plate. It is very important that every car be registered so that in case of accident to life or property it can be identified.

To use a red plate, 1912, now is as much a crime as using none, and having registered, but running without the blue number plate, 1913, is as much a violation of the law as not registering. Every person in Nodaway county owning or operating a motor vehicle, who has not already complied with the provisions of the motor vehicle law, should do so at once.

The Palindrome.

Undoubtedly the most wonderful specimen of a palindrome on earth is one in Latin. It not only reads backward and forward alike, but the initial letters of each word spell the first word, the second letters of each word spell the second, and so on. It is in Latin. Doubtless such a wonder could not be produced in English. Here it is: Sator arepo tenet opera rotas.—Railroad Telegrapher.

I wish to withdraw my name as a candidate for fourth ward alderman. I will not serve if elected. I thank my friends for the nomination, however.

Respectfully, P. DOUGAN.

TO REPRESENT CENTRAL.

St. Joseph High School Getting Ready For the Annual Meet and Other Contests.

The St. Joseph Central high school is getting ready for the annual contests to be held in Maryville on April 25 and 26, under the auspices of the Normal. The following is from the Gazette of that city:

Miss Hazel Vaughn was selected Friday afternoon to represent Central high school in the declamation contests at Maryville, Friday night, April 25. Miss Vaughn was chosen in preliminary contests held at the school. The representative in the boys' oratorical contest has not been chosen, but probably will be some time this week.

An entertainment will be given by the Central high school orchestra Friday night in the Robidoux school auditorium, the proceeds of which will be used to defray the expenses of sending the orchestra to Maryville next month. The organization has furnished music for the literary contests the night before the big meet every year since the association was formed, and it is planned to continue the custom this year. The entertainment Friday will be high class in every respect, and the program will be extensive and varied.

You can't do better in the city than at C. Weaver's, 15 West Third street.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

Notice to Shareholders.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the People's Telephone Union of Maryville last Saturday a motion was made and carried that the board of managers of the People' Telephone Union of Maryville recognize the justness of the one dollar assessment ordered by the annual meeting on March 8, 1913; also the unconstitutionality of such assessment, and appeal to the patrons of the system to pay such assessment by the 12th of April. In the meantime the board of managers are responsible for over $500.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

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Have you noticed, in our window, those fine Laces, Bandings, Beadings and Insertions that we are offering at 10c per yard?

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You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain. Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

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Let me show you the many beautiful patterns from which you can select, plain, fancy, ornamental—fit for any parlor. These rugs are reversible, bright and durable—woven in 12 colors and 29 sizes—large and small—without seams. Guaranteed to wear 10 years. Every order completed within three days.

Your old carpets are worth money, no matter how badly worn. Don't throw them away. Write me a postal or telephone me, and I will call with samples, book of designs, prices and complete information about this good money-saving opportunity.

MARIE RIGENY, Agent.
304 West Third St. Bell phone 485.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

BIRD TO CIRCUIT BENCH.

Former Nodaway County Man is Now Circuit Judge of Jackson County.

Daniel E. Bird of Kansas City was appointed Saturday by Governor Major as circuit judge of Jackson county to fill one of the two new divisions created by the last legislature. He will serve until the next election. The office pays $5,000 a year.

Mr. Bird is a former Nodaway county man. He is 40 years old, was born in Nodaway county and has practiced law in Kansas City since 1900. He is unmarried, and he said yesterday that the first money he made was blacking boots at Quitman, his native home.

"Every dollar I have spent since I was 12 years old I made myself, and since I have been 15 years old I have been the main support of my mother and sisters," he said yesterday.

Mr. Bird received his education in the public and high schools at Quitman, Maryville seminary and the Stanberry normal. In winter he taught school, in summer clerked in a grocery store and at night read law.

"I can trace my family history back to William Bird the conqueror, and I am the first of the Birds to hold a political office."

Mr. Bird also attended the law school at the state university at Columbia and was graduated from the Kansas City school of law. He was admitted to practice in 1900.

Mr. Bird is well known to members of the bar in Maryville and he has visited this city often. His many friends here are glad he was appointed, knowing that he will fill the office with credit.

KILLED IN IOWA.

Parnell Young Man Struck by Hay Baler at Adair, Ia., Saturday Afternoon—Died on Way to Hospital.

George Jewett Hanks, 32 years old, a young man of Parnell, was struck Saturday afternoon by a hay baler, near Adair, Ia., where he was working, and died shortly after.

The man for whom the young man was working started on the train with him for Des Moines, Ia., intending to take him to a hospital, but death came soon after the train started.

The body was brought to Parnell Monday noon to the home of the young man's parents, Henry Hanks, who was summoned to Iowa Saturday.

The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the M. P. church in Parnell, conducted by Rev. J. H. Coffey.

Besides the parents and brother, deceased is survived by three sisters, Miss Lucy Hanks of Rural Valley, Pa.; Mrs. Kate Music, living in Montana, and Mrs. Sarah Lambert of Bedford, Ia.

MT. AYR.

Neither the ground hog or the early Easter has much to do with bringing us early spring.

Horatio Schoonover and Tom Kane put in a new pump at the school house last week which was a very much needed improvement.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, a pair of twin boys, and they were christened right away Raymond and Roman.

Farmers ought to be as careful in selecting their seed potatoes as corn. get home grown variety. Those from a distance do no good in this soil.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irwin and daughter, Edith, were Wednesday guests of their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Mercer.

Leo Heitman is suffering from an attack of the measles; the only case in this vicinity.

Horatio Schoonover trimmed up his apple orchard and put it in shape to raise large fruit.

The high wind Sunday evening tore away a corn crib and another out house for John Hall and ruined a peach orchard for Mrs. Inman.

The wind seems more severe this spring than common. We always expect high winds in March, but one like this spring is unprecedented.

Miss Ora Wilcox and brother of Maryville spent Saturday in St. Joseph with friends.

Quarterly meeting at 2 o'clock and business of the church transacted. Sunday services as usual at Mt. Ayr.

We were at Mrs. Inman's the other day and she has a fine lot of Early Ohio seed potatoes.

To Salt Lake for a Year.

Miss Nannie Moses, Miss Audrey Howendobler and Cliff Howendobler will leave soon for Salt Lake City, Utah, where they will spend a year at the home of an invalid aunt of Miss Moses'. The Howendobler residence on South Buchanan street has been leased for a year to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Airy, who have taken possession of it. Miss Moses will leave this week for Salt Lake, while Mr. Howendobler and Miss Howendobler will visit relatives in Kansas City and Leavenworth before joining her at Salt Lake.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

CONDENSED STATEMENT

Of the Condition of the

Nodaway Valley Bank

Maryville, Mo.,

At the Close of Business, March 26th, 1913.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$480,251.85	Capital stock	$100,000.00
Overdrafts	12,555.88	Surplus and undivided profits	36,666.43
Bonds	4,120.00	Due banks and bankers	255.11
Real estate	3,850.00	DEPOSITS	617,655.28
Furniture and fixtures	3,000.00		
Cash and sight exchange	250,799.09		
	$754,576.82		$754,576.82

COMPARATIVE.

Deposits March 26, 1913	$617,655.28
Deposits March 26, 1912	429,785.38
INCREASE	$187,869.90

The above statement is correct,
JAS. B. ROBINSON, President.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle Meeting.

The M. I. Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Blagg.

Palestine Aid Society.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Palestine church, twelve miles southwest of Maryville, will meet Thursday, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, in an all-day session.

Back From Honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard returned Monday noon from their two weeks' honeymoon trip to St. Louis and New Orleans, and are at the home of Mrs. Bovard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker.

Married at Minister's Home.

Miss Lela Carver of Elmo and Mr. Frederick Glassford of Burlington Junction, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Glassford went to the bride's home in Elmo immediately after the ceremony. The groom is a dredge engineer, and they will soon go to Little Rock, Ark., near where he will be employed.

Luncheon for P. E. O. Officers.

The newly elected officers for the P. E. O. chapter were the complimented guests at a luncheon given Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock by the chapter, at the home of Miss Mabel Todd. The four-course menu was served at four tables, the honor guests being seated at a specially arranged table. The decorations were entirely in the chapter colors, yellow and white. A crystal basket filled with yellow tulips was placed in the center of the officers' table, and yellow tapers in crystal candlesticks tied with yellow tulle bows were used. The smaller tables were centered with yellow tulips, and these blossoms were given as favors. During the luncheon informal toasts were given, Miss Fannie Hope telling of some P. E. O. experiences; Miss Carrie Hopkins of "Our Absent Members," concluding by reading a letter from Mrs. Harry Irwin of Los Angeles, Cal. The toasts were followed with a brief business session, during which Mrs. L. O. Goble was received as a member from Chapter K of Osceola, Ia., and Miss Mabel Todd was elected president to take the place of Miss Nelle Conrad, who resigned. The honorees of the luncheon were Miss Nelle Conrad, resigning president; Mrs. J. D. Richey, vice president; Miss Fannie Hope, recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. Miller, corresponding secretary; Miss Mary Q. Evans, treasurer, and Miss Carrie Hopkins, chaplain. The other guests included Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. F. W. Crow, Mrs. Frank L. Garrett, Mrs. L. O. Goble, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. Charles Wadley, Miss May Anthony, Miss May Corwin, Miss Mabel Todd.

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Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—20,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Hogs—55,000. Market 5c lower; top, $9.40. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—20,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—8,000. Market steady.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.95.

Sheep—8,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,200. Market steady.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, $9.00.

Sheep—4,000. Market 10c higher.

School Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the independent school district of Maryville, Missouri, that at the regular annual election of said district to be held at the voting places in the various wards in the city of Maryville, for the election of city officers of said city of Maryville, on

Tuesday, April 1st, 1913,

there will be submitted to the qualified voters, who are taxpayers of said school district voting at such election, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of said district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the board of directors of said school district for the maintenance of the schools and for school purposes in said school district for the next ensuing school year. Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Done by order of the board of directors this March 14th, 1913.

W. A. BLAGG, President.
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

To Our Friends and Patrons:

After April 1st, 1913, we will be in our new quarters, over the E. W. Friend barber shop on Third St., where we will conduct a first class Clothes Cleaning and Pressing Shop for ladies and gentlemen. We especially call your attention to our repairing and altering department. Bring on your old clothes.

VanSteenbergh & Son

KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25 cent Store

A full and complete line of Curtain Net now on sale, at 10c yd.

Special
Saturday, 2 p. m.
Beautiful line of
Framed Pictures
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Secretary—Here's a letter from a fresh-air mission begging a contribution.

Magnate—A fresh-air mission? Send them a draft.

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For Wall Paper. Borders same prices as walls and ceilings. Painting and paperhanging. E. J. THORNTON.
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Flour, per sack.....$1.00 and $1.10
Shorts, 100 lbs, $1.15; 500 lbs.. $5.50
Bran, 100 lbs, $1.10; 500 lbs.. $5.00
Oil Meal, 100 lbs, $1.65; 500 lbs for.....$8.00
Swift's 60 per cent digestive Tankage.....$2.25
Swift's 60 per cent digestive Tankage, 500 lbs.....$11.00
Swift's Meat Scraps, 100 lbs.. $5.00
Swift's Bone Meal, 100 lbs.... $4.00
Swift's Blood Meal, 100 lbs.... $5.00
Alfalfa Meal, 100 lbs.....$1.25
Alfalmo, 100 lbs, $1.25; 500 lbs $6.00
All kinds of Hay, Straw and Chicken Feed, Chicken Coops and Fountains.

SEEDS AND SEEDS.

Seed Corn, shelled, bu.....$2.00
Seed Corn, in the ear, bu.....$3.00
Red Clover Seed... $12.50 to $15.00
Alfalfa Seed, bu.....$10.00
Alsyke Seed, bu.....$16.00
Timothy Seed.....$1.50
Rape Seed, bu.....$5.00
Cane Seed, bu.....$1.00
Kaffir Corn, bu.....$1.00
Blue Grass Seed, bu.....$2.50
If there is anything else in this line you think of send for sample. I've got 'em

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STOMACH GONE BAD SOUR, GASSY, UPSET?

When "Pape's Diapepsin" Gets in Stomach All Indigestion Goes.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain remedy in the whole world and beside it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know now it is needless to have a bad stomach.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. It should be kept handy, should one of the family eat something which doesn't agree with them or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night it is there to give the quickest, surest relief known.

John M. Murrin and Earl Parmann went to Atchison, Kan., Sunday. Mr. Murrin visited his son, John Owen Murrin, in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reidlinger of Clyde were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. —Advertisement.

Cash vs. Credit

Try cash dealing this month (April) and keep account of the savings. The total will surprise you. April is always a big business month.

At TOWNSEND'S

Read our price lists closely. We will have hundreds of convincing Grocery bargains to offer the cash buyer. To open April business we offer on Tuesday:

25c pkgs Quaker Rolled Oats (always the best) for.....15c
10c pkgs Pearl Hominy, Cracked Wheat, Scotch Oat Meal, Corn Meal, Farina or Hominy Grits for.....5c
Bulk Cocoanut, any amount, lb.....15c
Pure Ground or Whole Sifted Black Pepper, per lb.....16c
Bliss Triumph, earliest Seed Potatoes, per peck.....25c
Fancy quality Whole Grain Pearl Rice, any amount, lb.....5c
500 lbs finest selected pieces Pickled Pork, 2 lbs.....25c
Fresh Garden Seeds (ten thousand pkgs), per doz 15c; 2 doz.....25c
Genuine Red River Ohio Seed Potatoes, per bu.....70c
Large White Smooth Burbank's Table Potatoes, per bu.....65c
Sack Fancy Cream High Patent Flour for.....$1.05
10c pkgs Holland Rusk for.....8c
Snider's Famous Baked Beans, 10c cans, 8c; 15c cans, 12c; 20c cans 16c
100 gallons choice Sour Kraut (arrived today), at store, per gal.....10c
1,000 lbs solid Holland Cabbage, 2c per lb; quantity lots.....1½c
Finest Smoked Bloaters 6 for.....25c
Pure Jelly, 2 tumblers for.....15c
Quart Mason jar Blackberry (compound preserves).....20c
Pure Fruit and Sugar Preserves and Jams, 25c, 30c and 35c jars, all at, each.....20c
"Marie Elizabeth" French Sardines, boneless, 2 cans.....35c
"Marie Elizabeth" French Sardines, with bones, per can.....15c
Norwegian Smoked Sardines, tiny fish in bouillon, per can.....5c
Very fine Cream Cheese, lb.....20c
Club Cheese, in jars only.....5c

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* THIS WEEK WE HILL HAVE A *
* GOOD SUPPLY FRESH TOMA- *
* TOES PARSNIPS, CRANBER- *
* RIES, LETTUCE, FANCY GRAPE *
* FRUIT, STRAWBERRIES, CEL- *
* ERY, RHUBARB, GUARANTEED *
* QUALITY ORANGES AND BA- *
* NANAS. *
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6 lbs Granulated Sugar can be included in April 1st order for.....25c
25c will get you 6 cans No. 1 quality Sugar Corn tomorrow.
Yellow Jersey Seed Sweet Potatoes, per doz.....5c
Lemons (sound Messina) per doz..30c
Choice Red Globe Onions, per bu..75c
Choicest quality Apples, barrel $2.50

The Townsend Co.

The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

ILLINOIS MAY BE NEXT TO SUFFER

Governor Receives Messages From Cairo Levees in Danger.

JUNCTION WIRES FOR TENTS.

Communication Is Cut Off and Executive Thinks Flood Has Broken Levee—Shawneetown in Distress. Seventh Regiment on Way.

Investigations tended to confirm the estimates of deaths in the floods that swept over a score of cities in Ohio and Indiana last week at between 500 and 600.

The latest estimates show the following deaths:

Ohio

Dayton	150	Coshocton	5
Hamilton	91	Middletown	9
Columbus	64	Valley Jct.	6
Zanesville	10	Harrison	12
Delaware	14	Cleaves	2
Chillicothe	15	Van Wert	3
Miamisburg	15	Venice	3
Piqua	12	Mansfield	1
Tiffin	15	Globe Center	1
Mount Vernon	10	Wooster	3
Fremont	14	Londonville	1
Franklin	4	New Beth'hem	2
Troy	9		

Ohio total.....471

Indiana.

Peru	20	Fort Wayne	6
Brookville	16	Terre Haute	[illegible]
Washington	4	W. Indianapolis	[illegible]
Frankfort	2	Lafayette	1
Logansport	1	Newcastle	1
Rushville	1		
Muncie	1	Shellburn	1

Indiana total.....60
Grand total.....531

As the flooded rivers recede the death list gradually grows, bodies being picked out of the debris and found in the lowlands. Ultra conservative estimates place the number of dead in Ohio at not more than 500.

Springfield, Ill., March 31.—Illinois threatens to become the center of flood distress. Startling messages were received by Governor Dunne and Adjutant General Dickson, indicating that Shawneetown and Cairo are in imminent danger of being inundated. Other towns are in distress.

The governor received a message from Cairo that the water was within one foot of the top of the levee which protects the city and that the river was still rising.

Bernard Lamb of Junction, Gallatin county, has wired for 100 tents for refugees. E. C. Fletcher of Mounds has wired for fifty tents for homeless people there.

Governor Dunne received word that telephonic communication with Cairo had been cut off. The governor fears that the breaking of communication means the levee has collapsed.

The governor personally is directing the mobilization of troops and the rushing of supplies.

In talking over the telephone with Governor Dunne Mayor Parsons of Cairo stated that despite flood warnings, advising residents to move to higher ground, the number of those who have taken this advice has been offset several times over by thousands of refugees from all along the river, who have been rushing into Cairo.

Adjutant General Dickson and Colonel S. E. Tripp left today for Cairo to take charge of the troops there. In a message received it was stated that conditions at Shawneetown are alarming and that a break in the levee is feared at any time.

Many of the residents have moved to the hills back of the town, but a break in the levee would cause a large loss of life and property.

Ten thousand army rations were sent to Cairo by express.

No Suffering Exists.

Washington, March 31.—"All places affected by the flood in such a way as to need help are receiving it and it is not believed that suffering exists anywhere now from want of food or shelter," was the report to Adjutant General Andrews from Major General Wood, chief of staff, who, with Secretary of War Garrison, is directing relief operations in the flooded district. He added, while loss of life has been very heavy, it was far smaller than first reports indicated.

"Do not send any more government supplies," said the report, "unless the department's representatives on the ground request them. Any supplies available should be held for possible needs farther down the river. Major Normoyle has received the great bulk of the supplies sent to Columbus and is busily engaged in shipping them out to points where required."

Columbus Cleaning Up.

Columbus, O., March 31.—Reconstruction of the west side of Columbus, where the flood of last Tuesday wrought the heaviest damage, was begun in earnest today by the undaunted citizens of that district. Twelve additional bodies were recovered from the debris, but many of them have been identified as persons previously reported dead, so that the Columbus death list still remains sixty-four. Many are reported missing, but the list is gradually growing smaller. Fifty-nine bodies had been recovered. Working day and night laborers have succeeded in patching up the big break in the levee which caused the disaster on the west side.

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WEST THIRD STREET ✣ ✣ ✣ MARYVILLE MO.

Any Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

Alderman's Spring Stocks are Wonderfully Complete

They Are Just Full of Newness and Beauty

SUITS

We show one of our most popular suits on this page. It is distinctive and emphasizes the style tendencies without being extreme. Note the snappy shape of the cutaway front, the long revers, the fanciful stitch lines and the pocket effect produced by inserting the materials in a bias patch over the hips. This is a great value for $25

COATS

This is our snappiest Spring Coat Model. It is fifty inches long, comes in plain or selfstriped eponge in a choice of many colors, and is full lined with brilliant plaid silk. Note the artistic collar which is inlaid with eponge of a contrasting color. This style is one that most any woman can wear. A variety of colors and materials in this style for $20

Millinery

New Hats are arriving daily. Something newer and more attractive in each lot. And remember our prices are low.

Trimmed and Untrimed Panamas in large and small sizes, ready for your inspection, **$6, $7** and **$8** grades.

Untrimmed Shapes in Milans and hemp braids. Styles to suit all, at **$1** and up.

Children's Headgear, latest style, dress or street wear, for children all ages.

See the fancy stickups, feathers and novelties that are very attractive. Prices to suit.

Dress Goods

Beautiful Dresses for evening and street wear, made of charmeuse, messaline, challie and crepe meteor. All of them direct from the manufacturer. Priced at **$15.**

Children's Wash Dresses

Gingham, percale and madris wash dresses for children from 2 to 14. All ready to wear for what the goods alone would cost you. Each **65c** to **$3.50.**

Children's Aprons with sleeves for **65c** to **75c.**

Neckwear

Among the new arrivals are the latest style collars and cuffs. Bulgarians, ratine, pique and cotton crepe collars **25c** to **50c.** Cuffs to match for same price.

A large assortment of the new **string ties** for 25c each. Some of the little bows in the **Bulgarian** style for 25c each. **Fancy Lace Jabots** 35c, 50c and 75c. Pleatings of shadow lace and plain net in cream and white, 30c and 35c the yard.

Alderman Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET ✣ ✣ ✣ MARYVILLE MO.

To Have Branch Salesroom.

The Field-Lippman Piano company of this city will establish a branch salesroom at Conception Junction. They have arranged to have C. E. Lierly handle their line, and Mr. Lierly will attend to the business.

How Any Woman Can Cure Indigestion.

Most stomach remedies are makeshifts—they give relief but afterwards the stomach is just as weak, just as unable to digest the food as it was before.

Women especially should not depend on relievers only. MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets not only give prompt relief but they put strength and elasticity into the stomach walls and cause the digestive juices to act naturally.

They do more; they force the digestive organs to supply the blood with pure nourishment which is carried to the muscles, nerves, brain and skin. Result: healthy muscles, strong nerves, clear head, and clean skin. Orear-Henry Drug Co. guarantee MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets.—Advertisement.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

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Maryville Office
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Mounments and makers. We design and build them; we guarantee all our material. Mounments should be artistic as well as permanent. We solicit the opportunity to demonstrate to you our ability in this line. Quality and reliability.

J. E. OLIVER, Rep.

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West Third Street

Have your old shoes look like new. Let the man who knows how do your repair work. Only first class work done or no charge.

McIntire's

Goodyear Quality Boot Shop

West Third Street. Hanamo phone 42(
Just east of Alderman's.

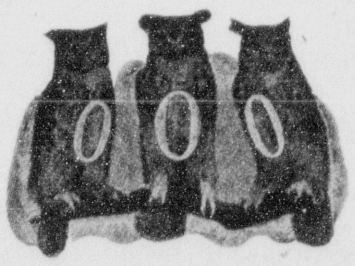
Mrs. M. J. Heffern was called to St. Joseph Friday morning by the illness of Mrs. Margaret Walker.

W. G. Wilson of Lipscomb county, Texas, who has been visiting at Graham, was in Maryville Monday the guest of his daughter, Mrs. George Pat Wright. He was accompanied to Maryville by his son, John Wilson and Mrs. Wilson of Graham.

You can't do better in the city than at C. Weaver's, 15 West Third street.

Miss **Edith Patterson**, living northwest of **Maryville**, is visiting with her cousin, **Miss Hazel McComb**, over Sunday. **Miss McComb** is attending the State Normal.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.



O Ye Owls

Grand Opening of New Hall

Tuesday, April 1st.

Big class of 60 for initiation, wrestling match between Steve Viles, champion middle weight of Nodaway county and Jose Campbell, for the championship, boxing matches, big banquet. Reduced rates. Everybody is joining. Get in line. Get application from any Owl. Last call Tuesday, April 1st.

To Our Friends and Neighbors

You know us. You know we would not—that we could not afford to—go back on our word. Nor can you afford to ignore this money-back-if-not-satisfied offer on this splendid laxative.

We honestly believe we have the best bowel remedy ever made—the most pleasant-to-take, most permanently beneficial laxative for relief from the miseries and dangers arising from constipation.

We wouldn't say this if we didn't believe it to be true. We wouldn't risk our reputation by making such statements did we not feel sure you would find them true.

Our faith is built both on the knowledge of what Rexall Orderlies are made of and on observation of very many severe cases in which they have proven their merit.

Try them at Our Risk

If they do not abundantly prove their merit with you also—if you are not entirely satisfied with them—we will refund your money—and we will do that on your mere say-so. We don't ask you to risk a penny. Isn't that fair?

Just let the bowels fail in properly doing their work—just let their action be delayed and incomplete and the entire system and every other organ suffers. Wastes that should have been dispelled remain to poison the system.

Headaches, biliousness, nervousness and other tormenting and serious ills are common when the bowels fail to act daily as nature intended. All this may be avoided, if you will accept our advice.

Rexall Orderlies

taste just like candy. They are soothing and easy in action. They do not cause griping, nausea, purging or excessive looseness. They tend to tone and strengthen intestinal nerves and muscles. They promptly relieve constipation, and help to permanently overcome it.

Rexall Orderlies promote better spirits and better health. In all of these things they are vastly superior to old-fashioned, harsh salts and other purgatives, which are not only unpleasant to take but which usually leave the bowels in worse condition than before. We particularly recommend Rexall Orderlies for children, aged and delicate persons.

Rexall Orderlies come in vest-pocket tin boxes. 12 tablets, 10c; 36 tablets, 25c; 80 tablets, 50c.

CAUTION: Please bear in mind that Rexall Orderlies are not sold by all druggists. You can buy Rexall Orderlies only at The Rexall Stores.
You can buy Rexall Orderlies in this community only at our store:

OREAR-HENRY DRUG CO.

MARYVILLE *The Rexall Store* MISSOURI

There is a Rexall Store in nearly every town and city in the United States, Canada and Great Britain. There is a different Rexall Remedy for nearly every ordinary human ill—each especially designed for the particular ill for which it is recommended.

The Rexall Stores are America's Greatest Drug Stores

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Wiseman of Quitman announce the birth of a son, Friday night, March 28.

To Save Money get Prices on Buggies and Painting and Repairing of

Frank Barmann

The Old Reliable Buggy Man of 35 years in Maryville

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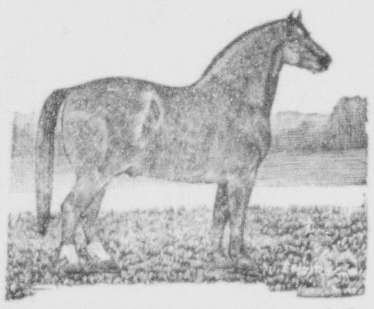

From 4 to 20 years old, weighing from 1000 to a ton. I buy every day in the year, and pay the high dollar. Show me your horses first, then sell to the high bidder. Remember the first look to me will make you money. Maryville every Saturday.

Jim Andy Ford

The Richards Funeral.

The funeral services for the late Hugh Richards of Guilford were held Saturday afternoon at the M. E. church, South, by Rev. S. E. Hoover. Six grandsons acted as pallbearers.

Mrs. E. W. Lyon of Arkoe is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swinford.

FOR MARYVILLE PEOPLE.

Maryville Citizens' Experiences Furnish Topic for Maryville Discussion.

The following experience occurred in Maryville. A Maryville citizen relates it.

Similar experiences are occurring daily.

Maryville people are being relieved.

Getting rid of distressing kidney ills.

Try Doan's Kidney Pills the tested remedy.

Maryville people testify, Maryville people profit.

The evidence is home evidence—the proof convincing.

Maryville testimony is gratefully given.

Maryville sufferers should heed it.

A. W. Hawkins, Main St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I can still recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as I did in the statement I gave for publication in 1911. Some years ago I had a weak, sore and aching back and at that time I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon gave me relief and I haven't used a kidney medicine since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Advertisement.

"No Questions Asked"

THE man with a bank account and proper identification can raise cash immediately in any corner of the globe. An endless chain of banks reaches around the world. If you have an account with this bank, your check will be worth its face value anywhere.

WE SOLICIT SAVINGS AND CHECKING ACCOUNTS AND ASSURE PROMPT AND EFFICIENT SERVICE

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS.....$122,000.00

HUNTINGTON IN DARKNESS

Vest Virginia City Is Facing Famine of Food and Water.

Huntington, W. Va., March 31.—This ity was in total darkness last night, s facing both a food and water famne and 15,000 of the 40,000 inhabitants re homeless. Twelve persons are reorted missing and the property damage, according to close estimates, will mount to nearly $1,000,000.

The river reached a stage of 66.2 eet, the highest in the history of Huntington, and now is stationary.

The entire business section is inundated, water being up to the second floor in some buildings.

Governor H. D. Hatfield arrived here on a special train from Charleston, bringing supplies, motor boats and skiffs. The boats now are being taken through the different sections of the city to rescue hundreds who are marooned. The local military company has taken charge of the rescue work.

The electric light plant has been forced to shut down and the gas supply was cut off to prevent fires.

Although supplies have reached here from Charleston, the city is in great need of food and water.

While no reports had been received here from Point Pleasant, W. Va.; Catlettsburg, Ky., and Ironton, O., it is believed conditions similar to those here prevail in those cities.

DIRE PESTILENCE FEARED IN INDIANA

State Summons Medical Forces Against Disease.

Indianapolis, March 31.—Central Indiana is summoning its medical forces to fight disease which is following in the wake of the flood which swept that section last week. Sanitary experts expect hundreds of cases of typhoid, diphtheria, pneumonia and measles to develop. Scores of persons of all walks of life have been huddled for days in small halls and buildings. They have been forced to live like sheep and a pestilence is feared.

Thousands of persons will continue to be homeless until their residences have been cleaned of the filth left by the receding waters and fumigated. A majority of these refugees have no clothing except what they wore when the flood descended.

The cities along the Ohio river are preparing for the worst flood of their existence. Already thousands of persons have been driven from the bottom lands and the property damage runs in to the millions.

The water still is rising and the crest of the flood is three days away. Railroad communication with these cities has been cut off from the north.

Lawrenceburg, where the levee broke, is under seven feet of water. Water covers the first floors of the high school and court house, where 400 persons are marooned.

There are 3,800 homeless at Logansport, and the military medical corps say that the danger of a pestilence is greater than at any other point in the state.

Of the forty-two persons reported missing, twenty-one have been reported safe.

In response to an appeal from Mayor McDowell of Vincennes, Governor Ralston ordered 200 tents and supplies sent to that city.

MANY DRIVEN FROM HOMES

Ohio River Continues Rising and Lives Are Endangered.

Cincinnati, March 31.—With nearly 15,000 persons in the towns on the Kentucky side of the Ohio river driven from their homes by the rising yellow tide sweeping down the Ohio valley and with more than 2,500 homes altogether or partly submerged, the flood situation in this vicinity is assuming graver proportions hourly. Here the water front buildings are all partially under water and much damage has been done.

An increase in the river stage here will mean the isolation of the city from the Kentucky side and the stoppage of train service in this direction. So far only one life has been lost as a direct result of the high water here. Miss Anna Smith, the first victim drowned, lost her life in an attempt to reach Newport in a skiff that capsized in midstream.

START WORK OF REBUILDING

Warmer Weather Helps Destitute, but Is Dangerous to Health.

Dayton, O., March 31.—The work of rehabilitation began here as the work of rescue approached its end. The all important weather showed improvement as viewed by refugees as it was warmer and pleasant to frost and water chilled bones, but the sanitary experts accepted the rise in temperature with mixed feelings, for the cold had retarded the decomposition of animal matter and refuse.

R. H. Grant, in charge of the relief supplies committee, issued an appeal to all cities in the country, asking that as much bottle water be shipped to Dayton as possible. It is especially desired that this water be pure, as it is practically impossible to boil the water for drinking purposes.

Bernhardt and Drew Play for Benefit.

Denver, March 31.—A flood sufferers' benefit performance given by the theatrical companies playing here, with Sarah Bernhardt and John Drew as the leading attractions, added $5,000 to Colorado's contribution to the Ohio and Indiana relief funds.

"COLDS"

Caused by Lowered Vital Resistance. What to Do For This.

It is a well known fact that when a person is run-down, stomach out of order, or the system overloaded with waste matter, vital resistance is lowered and colds and coughs are easily contracted.

The safest and surest method we know to overcome this condition is by taking our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, Vinol. In the most natural manner Vinol tones up the digestive organs, promotes a hearty appetite, enriches the blood and creates strength for every organ in the body and as a specific for chronic coughs, colds and bronchial troubles Vinol is unexcelled.

Mr. Albert Porter of Richmond Hill, L. I., says. "All winter I had a bad cold and a cough which I could not get rid of, and was badly run-down besides. Vinol was the one remedy which cured my cough and made me well in every way."

Try a bottle of Vinol on our offer to return your money if it fails to help you. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

You can't do better in the city than at C. Weaver's, 15 West Third street.

"Vengeance of Durand," Fern tonight.

Oil! Oil!!

"Don't you know" now is an awfully good time to paint your buildings? Pure boiled linseed oil, just like the other fellow sells

At 65c a Gallon

and don't forget to bring your own container.

Portland Cement

We shall have on track within a few days a car of Cement at 40 cents a sack.

Southern White Lead, White House and Red Barn Paints.

Columbia Batteries 45c
Nails, 8-penny, per keg....$2.50
Heavy Hog Wire, barbed, in 80-rod rolls $2.60

We also have, away down, Spades, Shovels, Hoes, Rakes, and a thousand other things. Just what you are needing on the farm or in town.

"Of Course,"
Holt for High Prices,
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Farmers' Pick
Apex Fence
Stock and Poultry
Hudson & Welch

(Advertisement.)

OLD-TIME REMEDY DARKENS THE HAIR

Gives Color, Lustre to Faded and Gray Hair—Dandruff Quickly Removed.

For generations Sage and Sulphur have been used for hair and scalp troubles. Almost everyone knows the value of such a combination for keeping the hair a good even color, for curing dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair, and for promoting the growth of the hair. Years ago the only way to get a Hair Tonic of this kind was to make it in the home, which was troublesome and not always satisfactory. Nowadays, almost any up-to-date druggist can supply his patrons with a ready-to-use product, skillfully prepared in perfectly equipped laboratories.

An ideal preparation of this sort is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, in which Sage and Sulphur are combined with other valuable remedies for scalp troubles and thin, weak hair that is losing its color or coming out. After using this remedy for a few days, you will notice the color gradually coming back, your scalp will feel better, the dandruff will soon be gone, and in less than a month's time there will be a wonderful difference in your hair.

Don't neglect your hair if it is full of dandruff, losing its color or coming out. Get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and see what a few days' treatment will do for you. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

Agent Kock Pharmacy.

Railroad Lands in the Orchard Belt of Texas

We leave Maryville on Burlington at 7:35, Tuesday morning

April 1st

Get ready to go with us and get some of that fine land on crop payments.

Holmes & Wolfert

Office over H. T. Crane's Book Store.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

S. C. Buff Orpingtons and Crystal White Orpingtons—Winners of first prize and Missouri state special prize N. W. Mo. Poultry Ass'n. Eggs for hatching. F. W. Olney, Maryville, Mo.

Barred Plymouth Rocks, pure bred eggs for hatching, 75c per 15, $4.00 per 100. Mrs. S. W. Scott, Mrs. John Griffey, route 6. Farmers phone 25-13.

Pure Bred Barred Rocks. Two cockerels. Eggs 4c each, delivered anywhere in Maryville. Plenty of new blood for old customers. I change cockerels each season. Mrs. John Halasey, R. F. D. No. 2. Phone No. 11-19.

S. C. BUFF and WHITE ORPINGTONS

Plenty of good, fresh eggs from my Buffs in 100 lots at $5.00 per, or by the single setting at $1.00 per 15. Still have a few choice cockerels from both varieties at reasonable prices. Also 3 Cycle incubators for sale cheap.

MRS. HENRY N ''OOD.
Farmers' phone 2516. R. F. D. 8

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. Buff Orpington, Cheviot strain, first prize winners. Setting of (15) eggs, $15; second pen (15) eggs, $10; utility pen (15) eggs, $1.25. White Orpington (15) eggs, $2.50. D. E. McDonald, 603 South Main. Hanamo phone.

WHITE WYANDOTTE pure bred eggs for sale, $1 per setting of 15; $5 per hundred. My chickens are the stay-white kind. You have tried the rest. Now try the best. I have hens that weigh 10 pounds. Mrs. Daisy Small, Pickering, Mo. Farmers phone 3-29.

BARRED ROCK EGGS for sale. Price for 15 eggs, 35c. For 100 eggs, $2.25. Delivered at any store in town. MRS. J. E. CROY, Route No. 5. Maryville, Mo.

R. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS. Eggs 60 cents per setting, $3.50 per 100.

MRS. ELMER YOUNG,
Farmers' phone. Bedison, Mo.

S. C. BROWN LEGHORNS, exclusively. Kulp's 240-egg strain. A very select flock of exceptionally heavy layers. Beautiful, large white eggs, $3.00 per 100; 75c for 15. Mrs. J. R. Evans, Maryville, Mo. Mutual phone 15-13; R. D. 7.

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Office over First National bank Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

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WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

WANTED—Young lady assistant at Marcell's studio. 31-tf

LOST—A large dark button, 2 inches n diameter, smoked pearl center. Return to this office. 28-1

FOR SALE—Family horse, cheap. Call Hanamo 33, 715 North Mulberry street. 29-tf

FOR SALE—Pure regenerated Swedish Select seed oats. W. D. Hoshor, Barnard. Phone 29-1.

FOR SALE—Pair of mares. Broke to work single or double. Inquire at Brown Brothers' office. 24-tf

FOR RENT—An improved Nodaway county farm. Inquire of Allen Bros. 31-2

FINE ROOMS FOR RENT—Three front rooms over the Real Estate bank. 25-tf

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms, close in, good water, cave, small garden. Inquire 202 E. First St. 28-31.

FOR RENT—Modern furnished or unfurnished rooms for men, one block from square, at 315 N. Vine St. 31-2

FOR SALE—Regenerated Swedish Select seed oats. Inquire of C. D. Leffler. 25-30

CLOVER SEED FOR SALE—About 12 bushels. Howard Greeson, Farmers phone 15-11. R. 4, Maryville. 26-3

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR SALE—50,000 good second-hand brick at a bargain. See Dennis Reynolds at city hall. Bell phone 129. 28-31

NOW is the time to get your cyclone cavescaves, while you can get good cheap brick. Call at city hall or see Dennis Reynolds, Bell 129. 31-5

FOR SALE—Early Ohio seed potatoes, home grown, 75 cents per bushel. George Lord, 627 West Second street, Maryville, Mo. 29-1

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without light housekeeping, two blocks from square. Heat, lights and bath. 304 West 3d st. Bell phone 485. 28-31

WANTED—Some one to raise potatoes on shares on two vacant lots in West Maryville. Call Bell phone 41 or Hanamo 319 Blue. 27-tf

FOR SALE—About 500 bushels of Gold Mine oats, 45 cents per bushel. M. P. Gingrich, Maryville, R. D. 6, Farmers phone 9-18. 31-2

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Equity in 5-room brick cottage, well located in St. Joseph. Enquire E. E. Grubb, Kessler's Store. 31-5

FOR SALE—A lister, corn sheller, a garden plow, a two-section harrow, a stirring plow. Mrs. Wm. Bredenbeck, one mile south of town. 31-2

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey boar pigs. Large enough for service and vaccinated. Eligible to register. A. B. Dowden, phone 1-13, R. R. 3. 31-2

WHEN IN WANT of hay in barn, corn in crib or "No Risk" lightning arresters for your telephone, think of C. D. McKibban, 40-15. 28-3

LOST—Friday morning between John Wells' residence, on South Mulberry and Clarinda Poultry Co., gold signet ring with initial "W." Return to this office. Reward. 28-31

WANTED—All your discarded papers, magazines, etc., for mission work. Especially such literature as Youth's Companion, C. E. World, Union Signal, American Messenger, Christian Herald, Review of Reviews, etc. Send no literature to us but write for full particulars. The Paper Mission, Woodward, Okla. 31-2

BUSINESS CARDS

For house raising, brick and cement block work, sidewalks, caves and cisterns. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Inquire Frank Mozingo, Bell 519, or Albert Helard, Hanamo 278 Blue.

Standard Plumbing Co.
R. E. MARTIN, Manager.
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
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W. F. BOLIN
Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

SEED CORN

Prize winning Reid's Yellow Dent and Boone County White, shelled and graded or in ear, $2.50 per bushel.

M. C. THOMPSON,
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